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Hanna's chances for the Senatorship eign miscellany. improving Immigration Bill goes to Financial and Commercial-Page 10. the President Monetary Conference Bill embarrasses some of the Repubthreatened by a crank A big filibus tering expedition leaves Texas for in the Glasgow iron market....Firm-

Southern California: Scattered showmountain region Thursday; generally Provisions get a body blow....General

Volunteers Organizing in Crete. 1 LONDON. Feb. 17.—A dispatch to the Times from Athens says that several officers have been sent to Crete to organize companies of volunteers under the orders of Col. Vassos.

Another battalion has been ordered to hold itself in readiness to proceed to Crete.

Ship Baltimore Foundered.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—A dispatch was received at the Maritime Exchange today to the effect that the German sing Baltimore, Capt. Hilton, from a continuous constant of the continuous continuo

forger at San Francisco.... Death of a pioneer navigator An Indiana mur-

Turkey takes defensive measures, but leaves the powers to settle the Cretan question....Greece continues troops to the frontier, all in the inter-Maj. McKinley takes outside exer- est of peace ... Insurgent prisoners cise, but is still denied to visitors.... massacred by Spanish guerrillas...For-

The New York stock market lapses into dullness....European stock mar-Congressmen....Emma Calvé kets show a better tendency....Panic ness of prices but diminished activity characterizes the Boston wool trade... SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.-For Biscuit stock selling heavily on account of the cut in prices ... Wheat ers tonight, probably continuing in the again subject to many fluctuations ...

Ship Baltimore Foundered.

Money for the State Printing Office.

Both of Dibble's Bills Passed the Assembly.

Republicans See That Printers Get Their Wages.

Agreement Reached As to the Printing Office Investigation— Ex-Sergeant-at-arms Parkinson Goes for Duckworth.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17. — [Specia Dispatch.] The Republicans lined up today and passed Dibble's two bills for the benefit of the printing office, appro-priating \$40,000 and \$35,000, respectively They also passed the concurrent resolu tion appointing a joint committee of three Senators and three Assemblymen to investigate the affairs of the estab lishment, substituting Caminetti for McLauren as one of the minority mem bers. The Democrats were defeated at every turn, and though Caminetti and Shanahan fought each step of the proceedings over the first bill, they out-voted by nearly a strict party vote The minority gave notice of reconsidering, but the bills will undoubtedly pass again tomorroy and will meet little opposition in the Senate. The outcome of the fight is still problematical, for the Governor yet remains to be reckoned with, and it is believed Camnetti voiced Budd's objections to the bills today.

When the hour for the special order arrived, Dibble moved to make his bills a case of urgency, and the motion was adopted. Shanahan wanted to substitute the minority bill for Dibble's \$40,000 bill, saying the latter's idea, however it might be disguised, was to validate whatever wrong-doing might have occurred in the printing office up to date.

Dibble denied this and said the bill proposed relief for a deficiency created extinct laws. It was not proposed to appropriate a dollar in de flance of the law, and the bills were the only way in which the exigencies of the hour could be met. If the member from Shasta and his associates wanted to refuse to pay the employes of the printing office let them insist on the

This warning awoke some of the sluggish members to the realization of the situation, and the crowd in the galleries and the lobby looked on in breathless

amendment of Shanahan.

Cutter offered a substitute resolution, making Dibble's two bills and Shanahan's bill a case of urgency. The San Francisco member accepted this and it was put in effect, urgency being granted by a vote of 70 to 0, showing that the temper of the House was against any further postponement of

The three bills were read and con curred in by the committee of the Shanahan offered an amendment to

the \$40,000 bill, providing for amounts age be given Hocking of San Ber-over Legislative printing, printing for flarding, the man who drew down a over Legislative printing, printing for State officers and to meet the pay-ment of any deficiency in the expenses of the printing office for the fortyeighth fiscal year, the whole to be under the approval of the State Board

Dibble contended that the amendment was useless, as his bill covered all the suggestions. Caminetti here opened fire on the ma-

jority, claiming that the State had saved millions of dollars by section 5 of the General Appropriation Act, re-quiring all appropriations to be passed upon by the examiners, and this was the first time that an effort had been made to let down the bars put up years ago. "But you can stay here until doomsday, you can adjourn sine die tomor-row morning," he said, "but we will not budge from our stand upon the Constitution, knowing the people will be with us."

He paused here in his harangue, but there was no applause. He then took another tack and appealed to the Republicans to hesitate, saying the Democrats would meet them half-way on

crats would meet them half-way on any just measure.

After some further debate, the com-mittee of the whole rose and reported favorably Dibble's bills, but frowned upon 'the Shasta sycamore's lone bill. After recess, the report of the com-mittee of the whole was adopted. Shan-ahan then moved that his amendment to Dibble's bill be considered. Dibble to Dibble's bill be considered. Dibble made a strong speech, saying the amendment was unconstitutional as it contained three separate items. The proposition was an absurdity. Shanahar retorted at some length to the effect that "unconstitutionality" was the refuge of a beaten man. Leavitt eleverly turned this point against Caminetti. Toland, during the discussion, asked if there was no politics in this ques-tion, what was the reason for the ma-

jority's continual appeal to labor, and the effort on the part of the minority to refuse wages to the employés of

the printing office.
On roll call Shanahan's amendment was lost by 32 yeas to 40 nays.
Caminetti offered an amendment to make the appropriation available only under the direction of the Board of Experience, and when Dibble remarked. aminers and when Dibble remarked that the effect would be to turn every printer out without a dollar the ex-Congressman said if so it would be the fault of the two Republican members of that board. Caminetti's amendment was defeated by a vote of 32 to 40. Erideford tried to limit the appro-

priation to legislative printing and work already done for State officers, but he was downed by a viva voce

The roll was called and Dibbles \$40,000 bill was carried by a vote of 15 oob bill was carried by a vote of 45 to 28.
Bower of San Francisco (Dem.) and
Landsborough (fusionist) won applause
from the majority and the lobby by voting for it, as they explained, because it was time to settle the question.

The men and women of the printing office had had no wages for two weeks.

Caminetti gave notice of reconsidera-

tion.

The minority was exhausted by its efforts and made no fight on the \$35,000 bill, covering the rest of the session. The bill passed by a vote of 43 to 29, Caminetti again giving notice of reconsideration.

sideration.

Dibble startled the minority momen bible startled the inhority momentarily by moving an indefinite postponement of Shanahan's bill, and, despite the efforts to rally, it was so ordered, by a vote of 43 to 29.

North's resolution for an investiga-

tion was next adopted. Besides substituting Caminetti for McLauren it pro-vided for the appointment of two printing experts and two accountants, one each from the majority and mi-

Mead offered a minority substitute, signed by himself, McGrath and Toland, reciting at length the need of an investigation into the records of the office, and empowering the Board of Examiners to conduct the same. The substitute was lost by 29 yeas to 41 nays, and the original resolution was adopted by a viva voce vote and immediately sent to the Senate.

So much hostility was shown to the classification of the agricultural distribute and appropriations therefore

classification of the agricultural dis-ricts and appropriations therefor con-tained in the bill of the Agricultural Committee, that it was recommitted for further consideration.

Belshaw's Attaché Bill, as amended

by the Senate, passed the House, and now goes to the Governor.

RASCAL AND LIAR. Ex-Sergeant-at-Arms Parkinson De

Ex-Sergeant-at-Arms Parkinson Denounces Duckworth.

[BY THE TIMES SPECIAL WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17.—[Special
Dispatch.] An alleged letter from exSergeant-at-arms Parkinson has been
published, in which he denounces Clerk
Duckworth, and denies that he ever
demanded that twenty or more names
of attachés should be placed on the
temporary roll of the Assembly.
Parkinson, according to the letter, says Parkinson, according to the letter, says he was requested by Duckworth to fur-nish a list of ten or eleven names, which he did. The clerk went over the list with him and the number was reduced to eight. Parkinson says he did ot wish to volunteer to testify,

vould have been willing had he been ubpoenaed.

According to a published interview, n which he calls Duckworth a rascal in which he calls Duckworth a rascal and liar. Parkinson admits having written the letter and reiterates the statements contained in it. The Times correspondent has seen the original letter, which is dated at \$5an Francisco, and is addressed to Capt. Jay Cummings of this city. The letter is unmistakably in a woman's handwriting. nistakably in a woman's handwriting Duckworth said tonight that he had received a telegram from Parkinson saying the information on which the letter was based was erroneous. The chief clerk could or would not explain how there could be any misinformation as to the statement that Parkinson birechief could be according to the statement that son himself had gone over the list with Duckworth, but said the letter was not worth publishing. He said he un-derstood that threats had been made to dig up his past record, and sar-castically remarked that there might be other people with records to dig up. Chairman Breiling of the Temp Mileage Committee, was somewhat dis-turbed by the publication, and in-quired of the correspondent if it was likely the Duckworth case would recpened because of it. He said his mittee was to blame for not inquiring more carefully into the allow-ances which it made, but Parkinson was not blameless, as he had appeared

large sum. Assemblyman Boone admitted to the correspondent that there were many things which the investigating committee, of which he was a member, had not cleared up, but said he did not think Parkinson's alleged disclosure would have the effect of causing a new investigation to be made.

before the committee to ask that mile-

Ways and Means Committee Reports the Bill Favorably.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.) SACRAMENTO. Feb. 17.—[Special Dispatch.] The Ways and Means Committee of the Assembly will report back favorably the bill making an appropriation for the display of California products at the Transmississippi Exposition at Omaha.

Commissioner George W. Parsons and

Commissioner George W. Parsons and Assemblyman Valentine are entitled to great credit for their efforts on be-half of the bill, as the Republicans have been backward in considering this proposition since Gov. Budd vetoed the Tennessee Exposition Bill.

Mr. Filcher of the State Board of Trade arrived today and appeared be-fore the committe tonight.

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE. THIRTY-SECOND SESSION.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17.—SENATE— In the Senate this morning Dwyer was granted permission to reconsider the bill to regulate the erection of buildings by the authorities of cities

Hall's bill amending the code regulat ing the hours of employes in bakeries was killed. The Judiciary Committee reported the bill unconstitutional.

The following bills were passed: By Henderson, to provide bond protection for laborers on public work; by Holloway, authorizing certain corporation to loan and invest money; by Aram, providing that persons in certain relations to parties are prohibited from testifying; by Holloway, regulating the

width of tires.

At the evening session all the bills on the Senate special file on first reading were read a second time, with the exception of that of Withington, amending the code fixing the fees of notaries public, which was killed. Notice of reconsideration was given.

After recess a report was received from the Committee on Attachés and Employés, naming Albert Searle as

(CONTINUED ON FIFTH PAGE.)

Maj. McKinley Able to

Be Up Again.

But Politicians are Still Kept at a Distance.

No More Receptions Before the Inauguration.

The President-elect Must Be Left to Think Out Problems of Government-Hanna's Chances for the Senatorship Improving.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] CANTON (O.,) Feb. 17.-[Specia Dispatch.] Maj. McKinley is convalescent and giving heed to the advice of his physicians. He and Mrs. McKinley went out for a drive of half an hour in the warmest and brightest part of the day. The weather has been mild and the sunshine brilliant for several days. Maj. McKinley needs nothing more than a few days of ab solute rest to complete his cure. His throat is still somewhat irritated, and t gives him some pain to talk, but he feels that he is getting beter, and that he will be restored to his usual robust health within less than a week. His physician enjoins absolute quiet and permits no one to see him.

There were perhaps a score of callers at the house this morning, but they were all met with the statement that the President-elect could not be seen He wants not only to recover his health, but he wants some days of comparative seclusion and rest before he sets out for Wshington to assume the burden of official life there.

It is safe to say that the time for seeing the President-elect before he goes to Washington has passed. He will not be able to see people in the way that he has before. He will see no callers this week, and next week only those visitors for whom he sends. He has given his time and strength freely to the public since his election. He has been accessible at all times. The people have been here in large ers to talk with him. It is esti mated that Maj. McKinley has and talked with 8000 people since the Some of them have taken great deal of his time, but he greeted them all cordially, and his superb patience never failed. His friends feel that he has done his duty by the people, and that his own interest and se of the country demand that he should have a period for rest and reflection before he leaves Canton for Washington.

Maj. McKinley has a great deal think about besides the distribution of offices. The prosperity of the country and the steps to be taken to hasten the return of that prosperity, give him more concern than any question of a mere partisan nature could.

Mrs. McKinley has been far from well, but she, too, is improving daily,

than any of those who have been associated with him.

Capt. H. O. S. Heistand, who has filled in a very agreeable and wholly months, has succumbed to an attack of influenza. He has been on duty daily from 9 o'clock in the morning till 11 o'clock at night, and, in addition to the handling of the private correspondence of Maj. McKinley, has met the thousands of callers who came to the house and arranged for their talks with Maj. McKinley.
Col. W. W. Dudley of Washington

had a long talk with Mr. Hanna this morning, and a word with Maj. McKinley. He came to discuss some of the plans for the inauguration, and his visit was in no sense a quest for place. Col. Dudley said the question of selecting an escort for Maj. McKinley from the railway station to the hotel was the ecasion of his return to Canton today. It was the original intention to have the Union Veteran Legion head a milltary escort, but Maj. McKinley, while fully appreciating the honor of the escort, desires as little display as pos-sible preceding the inauguration. "He says," remarked Col. Dudley, "he is as much a private citizen on March 2 as he is today, and desires to maintain the dignity of the high office to which he has been elected. The Inauguration and Reception Committee will therefore receive the President-elect and family Ebbitt House."

Col. Dudley left at noon for Wash-

W. C. Morrelton of Arkansas is here to see Maj. McKinley. He says the object of his visit is to interest the President-elect in the ex-slave pension movement, as proposed in Senator (CONTINUED ON THIRD PAGE.)

wards of 10,000 ex-slaves in Arkansas, and he represents about three thousand of them. He will not be able to see the

President-elect this week.

Another visitor who came to call on Maj. McKinley was H. S. Diesem of La Maure, N. D., an ex-member of the La Maure, N. D., an ex-member of the State Senate, Mr. Diesem was formerly a resident of Doylestown, O., and is acquainted with Maj. McKinley. He brings indorsements for a consular appointment from Gov. F. A. Briggs Lieut.-Gov. J. M. Devine, ex-Gov. Roger Allen, a number of State Senators and members of the Legislature and other prominent officials and eiter propries. and other prominent officials and cit-

izens of North Dakota. Mrs. J. Ellen Foster of Washington was a caller at Maj. McKinley's home this morning. She was unable to see the President-elect, but had a confer-ence with Joseph P. Smith. "I have ac-complished my object in coming to Canton," said Mrs. Foster, "but I do not desire to state what that object is. I regret not having seen the Presi-

Mrs. Foster said later that she prosented some papers for a friend. She said that extensive preparations are being made by the Republican women for their part in the inaugural exer cises. On Tuesday evening, March Mrs. Foster will give a private card reception to the Republican women. Wednesday evening a reception for Republican women will be held in the National Republican Committee rooms. These receptions are expected to be

It is not likely that Maj. McKinley will go to Cleveland this week, although his physician may decide than he can spend Sunday there.

MCKINLEY'S CONDITION. Out of Bed, but Still Unable to See

Visitors.

[BY ASSOCIATED PHESS WHRE.]

CANTON (O.,) Feb. 17.—Dr. Phillips
at 11:30 a.m. left Maj. McKinley's room at 11:30 a.m. left Maj. McKinley's room much pleased with the improved con-dition of his patient. He said: "Maj. McKinley is able to be out of bed to-day. I think he will be able to take a drive this afternoon. He will not, hower, be able to receive callers or do any

ever, be able to receive callers or do any work this week."

Maj. McKinley took a half-hour's drive this afternoon, Mrs. McKinley accompanying him. The sun shone brightly, the air was mild and it was an ideal day to be out of doors. The major enjoyed the drive greatly and experienced no ill effects. In fact, he seems to be much exhilarated by the little outing, but it is still necessary for him to avoid exertion and to take the best care of himself, but he is making a most satisfactory recovery from his illness. Dr. Phillips, the attending physician, will not consent that his patient shall take any of his former routine this week, see any visitors nor take the proposed trip to Cleveland before the latter part of the week.

HANNA AND MCKINLEY.

Intional as Well as State Politics Discussed Between Them.
[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]
CANTON, Feb. 17.—[Special tch.] The conferences that Mr. Hanna patch.] The conferences that Mr. Hanna and Aial. McKinley are holding are of no little importance. Not only national politics is being discussed, but State politics as well. On account of Maj. McKinley's illness, not much was concluded last evening, though the two were together for several hours.

It is Maj. McKirley's present inten-tion to hold open the Postmaster-Genrealship until the Senatorial appointment is made by Gov. Bushnell, even if that appointment is not made until so far into the next administration as Mr. Hanna spent the morning at the McKinley residence. He came down to see for himself what the condition of Maj. McKinleys' health was, and went back much reassured. He says Maj. McIkinley's constitution is one of remarkable vigor, and that he throws off illness with great facility. It is true that Maj. McKinley is stronger than national chairman, and has reisted the assaults upon his nerves and ital forces for a much interest of the major of the major of the members of that it will be done against the advice and judgment of the friends of the President-elect and of Mr. Hanna, is disinclination to enter the Cabinet is genuine. He does not believe that the chairman of the National Committee ought to be a member of the Cabinet, and he will not resign the national chairmanship.

A special session of the Legislature had been determined upon for March 9, but a canvass of the members of that body has not been satisfactors. April 1. While this intention may be vital forces for a much longer time Legislature into session. In fact, if the Legislature is called into special session, Mr. Hanna will be elected for the

short term.

The rumbling in Cincinnati, in which filled in a very agreeable and wholly satisfactory way the difficult position of confidential friend and secretary to Maj. McKinley for the last eight That Mr. Hanna has any understand-

Republican Statesmen in a Quandary.

The Monetary Conference Bill is Embarrassing.

A Probability That the Measure Will Be Sidetracked.

immigration Bill Finally Passes the Senate and Goes to the Presi-dent-Senator Allen Airs a Bry-anite Grievance.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WITE 1 WASHINGTON Feb. 17.—The inter-national Monetary Conference Bill, which has been passed by the Senate, has developed into a more important is has developed into a more important issue than was expected. When the House Committee on Coinage took charge of the bill there was thought to be no doubt that it would be reported favorably, but the opposition to the bill has been growing steadily until it seems probable that if reported the action will be taken against the wishes of a majority of the Republican members of the committee. All of the Republic of the committee. ers of the committee. All of the Re publicans who have spoken on the measure before the committee have argued that it would be an embarrassing thing to the coming administration. On the other hand, Republicans say Senator Carter of Montana, who has had an interview with the President-elect outers M. McKint of the Republicans of the committee of t had an interview with the President-elect, quotes Mr. McKinley as express-ing a wish that the bill should pass. The Republican members of the com-mittee have held a conference on the matter, which left their policy undecided. Further hearing on the bill has been postponed until Friday, and it is doubtful whether a vote on reporting it will be taken Saturday, as the committee had intended. In the mean time many communications proagainst any further steps toward an international conference on the ground that it would tend to disturb business,

are being received from business mer in the East. FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

THIRTY-SECOND SESSION. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—SENATE—
The Immigration Bill now goes to the
President, the last legislative step havan agreement to the conference report on the bill. Strong opposition was made to the report, but on the final vote the friends of the measure railied a\small majority, the vote being yeas 34, nays, 31.

The bill, as passed, extends the immigration restriction against "all persons physically capable and over 16 were together for several hours.

Maj. McKinley is still very anxious that Mr. Hanna should be a member of the Cabinet. Mr. Hanna thus far has steadfas'ly declined the tender. This conference had much to do with this conference had much to do with this over 21 years of age and capable of supporting such parent or grandparent. supporting such parent or grandparent, or such parent or grandparent may be sent for and come to join the family or child or grandchild over 21 years of age, similarly qualified and capable, and a wife or minor child not so able to read and write may accompany or be sent for and come to join the husband or parent similarly qualified and capable.

Canada. The provisions are as follows:

"Sec. 4. That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any male allen who has not in good faith made his declaration-before the proper court of his intention to become a citizen of the United States to be employed on any public works of the United States or to come regularly and habitually into the United States by land or water for the purpose of engaging in any mechanical trade or manual labor, for wages or salary, returning from time to time to a foreign country.

The rumbling in Cincinnati, in which George B. Cox figures conspicuously as an alleged Hanna supporter, is one of the significant features of the present. That Mr. Hanna has any understanding with Mr. Cox is absolutely untrue. If Mr. Cox is for Mr. Hanna, he has ceme to that way of thinking entirely upon his own motion. The fact that the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune came out for Mr. Hanna last Sunday is attributed to Mr. Cox's influence, but quite erroneously. Early in the game Senator Fleischman of Cincinnati declared that if a special session of the Commercial-Tribune of Mr. Hanna B. Mr. Fleischman is a large owner of Commercial-Tribune stock.

Gen. Hickenlooper, another owner of the Commercial-Tribune, and a close friend of Mr. Foraker and Mr. Cox, is also for Mr. Hanna for Senator, It is not strange, therefore, to divine the reason for the stand taken by the Cincinnati newspaper.

It is an open secret that after Senator Shermans' appointment, Senator-elect Foraker was in favor of Mr. Hannas' appointment, Senator-elect Foraker was in favor of Mr. Hannas swin favor of Mr. Hannas will not be appointed. The Cabinet situation is also being the Hannas Stranday of the law persons arriving from Cuba during the continuartee of the present disorder there. The law is to take effect July I, next.

During the morning from the time to a direct for the morning from the states in violation of this act. Provided, that he provisions of this act shall not appoint or reoperation of this act shall not appoint or reoperation of this act shall not appoint or any person, partnership, company or corporation knowingly to torm any person, partnership, company or corporation knowingly to the provisions of this act.

employes had not been sheet any time.

Subsequently the witness denied having purchased the Colchester plant, but admitted that it was purchased by Hollins & Co., bankers.

NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS.

Men Who Print the News in Session

in New York.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The eleventh annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association opened in the Hoffman House today and will continue tomorrow and Friday, closing with a dinner on the evening of the last-named day. The attendance is unusually large, publishers from all parts of the country being from all parts of the country being

A CHICAGO PARKHURST.

of City Officials.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.-Warrants were

HOLLIDAYSBURG (Pa...) Feb. 17 .-

then brought forth the conference re-port on the Immigration Bill. Mr. Lodge explained that the bill as now presented modified the provision of the language in which the immigrant is to read or write the English or some other lan-guage. It also overcame the objection that husband and wife might be sepa-rated. The Corliss amendment relative to Canadian border immigration was retained.

Mr. Palmer of I'ilinois (Dem.) opposed the report. He said he knew of no sentiment for which he had greater detestation than "natism." He held the right of migration and expatriation to be essential to the liberty of individuals. This bill was an extension of the same sentiment of natism. Mr. Palmer then pointed out defects in various sections. The test of illiteracy would, he said operate against a worthy class and not against the dangerous men, the "brawling anarchists," who were able to read and write. He said the restrictions on Canadian-border immigration was without a parallel in the legislation of the world. It was a remarkable movement to originate in the "land of the free and the home of the brave." With the adoption of the miscrable, narrow policy our neighbors north and Mr. Palmer of Illinois (Dem.) opposed

With the adoption of the miserable, narrow policy our neighbors north and south would be invited to adopt a similar course. It was an outrage, he declared, on the cemity of nations and the civilization of the age.

Mr. Carter of Montana (Rep.) also opposed the report. He hoped the bill would be re-committed, in order that he might move an amendment providing that the restrictions shall not apply to a resident citizen of any country on this hemisphere. It would, Mr. Carter declared, lead to retaliation by every government on this hemisphere, and thus arraign the United States against its neighbors.

Mr. Caffery of Louisiana (Dem.)

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against he general principle of

restricting imigration.

Mr. Chandler interjected the statement that Louisiana had furnished Italian riots, a number of Italians had been killed and the United States had been compelled to indemnify.

The final vote was then taken and the conference report was agreed to, yeas 34, nays 31, as follows:

YEAS. Republicans-Allison, Baker, Brown, Burrows, Cullom, Chandler, Morrill, Nelson, Perkins, Platt, Pritchard, Proctor, Davis, Elkins, Sewall, Frye, Gallinger, Gear, Thurston, Wethmore-26.

Democrats—
Chilton, Faulkner, North Populists—
Butler, Peffer, Silver Republican—
Teller, 1: Total—34.

Republican-Republican-Carter, Hansbrough, Democrats-Bacon, Bate, Berry, Blanchard, Morgan, Murphy, Palmer, Pascoe, Pugh, Roach, Caffery, Call, Cockrell, Gibson, Gorman, Gray, Lindsay,

Gray, Vilas,
Lindsay, Voorhees,
Mills, White—25.
Mitchell, Wisconsin
Populists—
Stewart—1.
Silver Republican—
Mantle, 1: Total, 31.
A resolution by Mr. Pettigrew was
agreed to requesting the Secretary of
State for a copy of any reply that had
been received to the letter of Secretary
Gresham to Sir Julian Pauncefote. Gresham to Sir Julian Pauncefot British Minister, in January, 1894, call-ing the attention of the British government to the utter failure to protect the fur seals under the award of the Paris

journed. HOUSE.—The House today, after two hours' debate, passed a bill' considerable importance to the arid regions of the West. It opens to use an

At the conclusion of Mr. Daniel's re-marks, the House, at 4:20 p.m., ad-journed.

APPROPRIATION BILLS.

An Effort to Include a Doncer for the Southern Pacific [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- Two appropriation bills only remain to be passed by the House to complete the list for this Congress. They are the Naval and General Deficiency, and both of them will probably be reported to the House tomorrow. among the House leaders of passing the Deficiency Bill under suspension of the rules, as the Sundry Civil Bill was disposed of, to prevent the House from attaching any amendments to it which would increase the total.

Indians Protest.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Senator
Bate today introduced into the Senate a remonstrance signed by official representatives of the five civilized tribes of Indians protesting against the passage of legislation for reforms in the Indian Territory as proposed in the Indian Appropriation Bill.

Heywood Bros. & Co. or Gardiner. 12.

85,000,000 and will be the largest ratta company in the world.

CRACKER WAR.

Biscuit Companies Will Fight to Finish.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

Presidential Appointments. WASHINGTON. Feb. 17.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate: Postmaster, L. H. Young, Chino, Cal.; medical inspector, J. R. Tryon, to be medical director.

TRADE TIDE TURNED.

A REVIVAL OF INDUSTRY ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Collapse of the Steel Rall Combine.

STEEL MARKET STIMULATED.

LARGE ORDERS FOR RAILS PLACED BY WESTERN ROADS.

another Competitor for the Sugi Trust in the Field - Proposed Raisin Combine-Rattan Trust. The Cracker War.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] PITTSBURGH (Pa.,) Feb. 17.—The steel market shows a better tone as a result of the break in the rail pool. Bessemer pig has been advanced about 25 cents per ton, and is quoted at \$10.77 at Pittsburgh and \$10.10 in the valley. Billets showed a similar advance, and all lines of finished material partici-

pated in the general elevation of prices. The rall market is still active. Some large orders are reported. "We think that the turn in business "We think that the turn in business affairs has come," said an iron and steel manufacturer. "It has been a long time coming, but I think the break in the rail pool was the incident that turned the tide. The drop in the price of rails gave an impetus to all other branches of the iron and steel industry and all took on a new lease of busi

More changes among the officials of the Carnegie Steel Company are an-nounced by Chairman H. C. Frick. George H. Wightman was appointed general sales agent, vice A. R. Peacock, elected first vice-president. William E. Corey was appointed general superin-tendent of the Homestead Steel Works. vice C. M. Shaw, elected president Mr. Corey has been superintendent of the armor-plate department.

ORDERS FOR RAILS.

Iron and Steel Industry Stimulates by Low Prices.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

ST LOUIS Feb 17 -The collapse the steel trust and the consequent de-cline in the prices of steel rails to \$17 per ton, has already begun to exert a stimulating influence on the iron and steel industry. The St. Louis agents of the Carnegle company and the Illi-nois Steel Company are keeping the wires hot closing deals. The Missouri, Kansas and Texas

Railroad Company heads the list with an order for 10,000 tons of steel rails, placed with the Carnegie Company. This means 100 miles of new track somewhere between here and Galves-

somewhere between here and Galveston, and steady employment for hundreds of men for months to come.

The 'Frisco also availed itself of the tempting opportunity afforded by the prevailing low price of rails, and placed an order with the Illinois Steel Company for 8000 tons.

The Missouri Pacific fell into line with an order for 6000 tons, and news comes from Texas that E. M. P. Green of the

The Missouri Pacific fell into line with an order for 6000 tons, and news comes from Texas that E. H. R. Green of the Texas Midland has just closed a deal for 20,000 tons. There is particular significance in Mr. Green's purchase, as it means got repairs, but extensions. The greater part of the Texas Midland track has been recently laid, so that if Mr. Green's new rails are put down anywhere they must go to extending his lines. To a friend who arrived from Texas. Mr. Green admitted thas be innis lines. To a friend who arrived from Texas, Mr. Green admitted that he in-tended to use the rails just ordered in building more road. His extension will doubtless be to Dallas and from there

doubtless be to Dalias and from there southward.

President Conner of the Dalias Terminal Railway arrived in this city yesterday. He is in the market for 3000 tons of rails. The agents of both the Carnegie Company and the Illinois Steel Company are reticent as to what orders they have placed further than those above noted, but it is known that, together they have received orders for

considerable importance to the arid regions of the West. It opens to use and occupation under the right-of-way, the act of March 3, 1891, all the reservoir sites reserved by the Geological Survey. There are 128 of these sites scattered throughout the arid country, and this act will enable them to be put to practical use by individuals or corporations. Two amendments were attached to the bill, one of which permits States or Territories to occupy these sites if they choose, and the other empowers the States and Territories in which they are located to fix water rates.

The consideration of the Hopkins-Kendall contested election, case from the Tenth Kentucky District was entered upon and a vote will be taken tomorrow. The conference reports on the Legislative. Executive and Judiciary Appropriation Bill and the bill to fix the times and places of holding court in Utah was adopted and a bill was passed to remove the political disabilities of Col. William Simms of Kentucky, who was a member of the thirty-fifth Congress. Mr. Daniels opened the argument in the Hopkins-Kendall contest on behalf of the majority report.

At the conclusion of Mr. Daniel's respring up in Brooklyn. The capitalist referred to is Claus Doscher, who is reputed to be worth \$6,000,000 and was one of the organizers of the Brooklyn Refining Company, which sold out to the American Company at a handsome profit. Mr. Doscher, since that time, has been out of the sugar business, although one of his sons is active in the trade and is a recognized expert. According to the report, Mr. Doscher wants to build up a business to leave to his sons. He owns two blocks of water-front in Green Point, which is well adapted for refinery purposes. It was said that Mr. Doscher intended to break ground for a new refinery with a capacity of 2500 barrels a day, within a month. Mr. Doscher, when seen, confirmed the report that he intends to reënter the business of sugar manufacturing.

RATTAN COMBINE.

Parties to it Deny That it is Trust.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—In regard to the proposed consolidation of the Wake-field Rattan Company and the Heyattaching any amendments to it which would increase the total.

A contest is on in the Appropriations Committee over the proposition to include in the bill an item of \$1,300,000 to pay the Southern Pacific Railroad a judgment of the Court of Claims for services to the government. Payment has been withheld of this sum on account of the alleged connection of the Southern Pacific and Central Pacific by which the money due to the former was credited on the latter's debts to judgment is doubted by a part of the government. The justice of the committee, and other members question the policy of paying it at this time on account of the condition of the treasury.

The total of the Navy Bill is expected to be about \$33,000,000. It will include an appropriation for continuing the improvements at the Mare Island navy yard.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—In regard to the Heywood Bros. Company, which was ment the lead of the sating the sating the sating the sating the sating the sating the proposed consolidation on the Heywood Bros. Company, would be the would not talk of the yound proposed consolidation to the Heywood Bros. The above company were seen, but would not

Finish.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—A war between the American Biscuit Company and the New York Biscuit Company in which both sides agree in saying that it will be to a finish, was openly inaugurated today by the New York Biscuit.

Company's announcement of a cut equivalent to 35 per cent. on the price of the entire product of the concern. Small reductions on particular liner have been made on both sides for the past week or ten days, and culminated today in the New York Biscuit Company's reduction. This action was precipitated by the slashing of prices yesterday by the American Biscuit Company.

A RAISIN TRUST

A New York Company Going to Con-trol the Trade.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—A company has been organized here the object of which, it is said, is to control the whole raisin industry of the country. The capital stock has already been subscribed in Wall street, with \$500,000 scribed in Wall street, with \$500,000 as a starter. The name of the corporation has not even been selected. practically all the native raisins come from the grape region of California, the new company will make its headquarters at Fresno, and build a large factory, which is expected to absorb all others. The new company has control of a novel device for taking the seeds out of grapes. out of grapes.

Alfred Nichols is president of the new corporation.

CAN'T AVOID STEALING.

LIZZIE BORDEN ALLEGED TO BE A KLEPTOMANIAC.

Woman Stopped, Probably for a Monetary Consideration-The Af-

TRY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] BOSTON, Feb. 17.—[Special Dispatch.] t is now alleged that Lizzle Borden, he Fall River woman who figured as defendant in a great murder mystery s defendant in a great murder mystery a few years ago, is a kleptomaniac. It has been suggested that the case has features not unlike the celebrated Castle case, Miss Borden, like Mrs. Castle, being independently wealthy. "Love's Dream" is the title of a magnificent painting on porcelain which, it is aleged, now forms one of the decorations of Miss Borden's residence. This painting was missed from the store of the Tilden-Thurber Company in Providence Tilden-Thurber Company in Providence recently. A few minutes after Miss Borden had left the store another painting was missing, too. A warrant was issued charging her with larceny of the paintings. From the reticence of those concerned, and from the fact that the warrant cannot be located, it is declared that a settlement of the matter has been effected. It is, of course, idle to presume that the paintlngs in question were valued by Miss Borden for their pecuniary worth, as she is a rich woman. In view of the settlement of the case, the firm probably decided that she had purchased the articles, even though there was no rec-ord of such a happening and despite the complaint of a clerk to the heads of

A PATRIOTIC PROPOSITION.

Daughters of the Revolution to Erect a Colonial Hall. [BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—[Special Dis-patch.] Mrs. Henry M. Shepard of this city stands sponsor for a unique scheme to be sprung at the forthcoming

scheme to be sprung at the forthcoming Centennial Congress of Daughters of the American Revolution, to be inaugurated Friday at Washington.

As chairman of one of the important national committees, Mrs., Shepard will submit to these descendants of patrictic forefathers a plan for a magnificent structure to be erected at the national capital, under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and to be known as Colonial Hall. This Daughters of the American Revolution, and to be known as Colonial Hall. This scheme will be by far the most absorbing topic of the convention. The sentiment in favor of the patriotic idea is universal among the various chapters over the country, and an effort will be made to put the plan on the boom, by preparing a bill to be submitted to Congress asking for a grant of land in the District of Columbia on which to erect the hall. The next step, as proposed by the projector of the plan, is to secure contributions for a building fund from branch organizations in various States.

NO GROUND FOR ACTION. Northern Pacific and Manitoba's Settlement with Villard. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 .- The agree-NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The agreement, in pursuance of which the suit of the Northern Pacific and Manitoba Railroad Company against Henry Villard for an accounting of the disposition of between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 tion of between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 worth of bonds was dismissed by Judge Lacomb in the United States Circuit Court yesterday, is made public today. In it the plaintiff company admits that there was no ground for the suit and releases Mr. Villard "from all manner of claims, causes of action, demands and liabilities due or to become due, now actionable, or which may become actionable, including those embraced in suits now pending."

In turn Mr. Villard releases the company from all claims in terms as above.

above.

The document was signed on January
19 by Edward W. Winter, as president
of the Northern Pacific and Manitoba
Railroad Company, and by Henry Villard.

UTAH'S HERO.

senator Cannon Would Place Brigham's Statue in the Capitol. IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SALT LAKE Feb. 17 .- In the House of Representatives today a communi-cation from Senator Frank J. Cannon cation from Senator Frank J. Cannon was read, supplemented by a letter from Gov. Wells, asking the Legislature to take advantage of the law granting the privilege to every State in the Union to place in the hall of statuary at Washington the statues of two of their honored deceased, whom they delight to honor. It was suggested that the Utah Legislature take the immediate advantage of this privilege and place in position the statue of Brigham Young.

Chief Justice Beasley III.
TRENTON N. J.,) Feb. 17.—Chief
Justice Beasley is very ill at his home
here, and it is doubtful if he will recover. His illness has developed into
bronchial pneumonia. He is now 80
years old and has been Chief Justice
since 1864. He has been continuously
on the bench until a few weeks ago,
when he became ill. He railied from
this indisposition, but last Friday was
taken ill again. taken ill again.

JEFFERSON CITY (Mo.,) Feb. 17.— William J. Bryan will be in Jefferson City Saturday morning. Mr. Bryan will address the Legislature Saturday morn-ing and then leave for the West. He will be the guest of Gov. Stephens while in the city.

Bryan's Talking Tour.

Inspector O'Malley Dead DENVER, Feb. 17.—W. P. O'Malley, United States Customs Inspector, died last night of heart disease. He has been instrumental in deporting many China-man who entered the country Wesally.

It Leaves the Pacification of Crete Entirely to the Nations That Have Intervened.

WILL NOT ANTAGONIZE GREECE

NEVERTHELESS DEFENSIVE MEAS URES WILL BE TAKEN.

Claims That Her Warlike Acts are in the Interest of Peace. Powers Threaten to Block-ade Piracus.

CONSTANTINOPLE, February 17.—
[Copyright, 1897, by the Associated Press.] The council of ministers as the result of an all-day session yesterday has decided to leave the pacification of Crete to the powers. The council also decided to send Karathedori also decided to send Karathedori Crete as invocrial high com-Pasha to Crete as imperial high commissioner; to adopt militry measures on the Greek frontier as previously intimated; to appoint Marshal Edham Pasha, who directed the operations against the insurgents of Zertoun in 1896, to command the Turkish troops at Elassoda, and to call out the first reserves of the third army corps, now at Salonika. These measures, however, are for purely defensive purposes in order to enable the Turkish gov

ernment to be prepared for all evenualities. The Sulian has informed the ambas sadors of the powers that, in view the aggressive attitude of Greece,

the aggressive attitude of Greece, he has been obliged to adopt measures required by the situation. The Sultan took occasion to express his satisfaction at the landing of detachments of marines at Canea.

In spite of the peacful outlook it is known that the debarkation of Greek forces in Crete caused a great sensation at Yildiz Klosk, and it required the use of much tact on the part of the ambassadors to prevail upon the Porte to accept the situation.

Anti-Turkish manifestations are reported to have occurred at Arta and Prevessa, Thessaly, shots having been fired, and a Turkish frontier guard wounded. It is hoped no further trouble will occur, although Greek troops are gathering near the frontier. Placards have been found posted in mosques demanding the death of the

A Turkish squadron, consisting of four warships and ten torpedo boats, has been ordered to start for Cretewithin five days. It will be joined there by all the vessels in the Turkish archipelago, and at Alexandretta. A second Turkish squadron of five warships and ten torpedo boats has also been ordered to prepare for active service. The Minister of Marine has asked for a credit of \$2,500,000 to meet naval expenses. The Sultan seems to be well aware

expenses.

The Sultan seems to be well aware that Greece would not have acted as deflantly as she has done without having at least one powerful friend behind her, and it is this feature of the comlications which is having the most calming effect upon the Turks, who, also see in the abandonment of Crete to Greece a possible loophble of excape from further and much more important changes in the map of the Turkish Empire.

To the Sultan it seems to be the old story of its being an ill wind which blows nobody good, and he is credited with hoping that his obedience to the wishes of the powerful friend or friends of Greece in the matter of Crete, may be placed to his credit, when the long discussed and much-postponed "reforms" of the Turkish empire come to the front again. The action of Greece may have been nothing more than a coincidence, it is remarked, but it is out of such coincidences that oriental diplomacy is framed.

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There was an incident at the Peo-ples theater in the Stamboul quarter last evening, which is regarded by many people as being an attempt to provoke another outbreak upon the part of the

Two Albanian soldiers of the Yildiz Two Albanian soldiers of the Yildiz palace guard, the most trusted troops of the Sultan, were among the audience suddenly, these two soldiers discharged their revolvers in the air, causing a terrible panic. A rough and tumble fight followed, during which a bystander was wounded. The two guardsmen were arrested and taken to guardsmen were arrested and taken to the nearest police depot, later being handed over to the military authorities of the Yildiz Kiosk.

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It has been announced in the newspapers here that the Turkish minister at Athens, Assim Bey, has been appointed a member of the council of state, that he is to be recalled immediately, and that the Greek Minister here, Prince Maurocordate, is to be given his passports, but as this dispatch is sent the report has not been confirmed and the Sultan may have been induced by the ambassadors to delay the matter indefinitely.

In order to avoid the dangers incident to traveling on the streets of Constantinople, the Sultan went and returned by sea from the palace Topcapon during the singing of the "prophet's mantle," which is the feature of the great annual Mohammedan fast.

annual Mohammedan fast.
Fifty thousand Naval Reserves, including the men on furlough, have been

A SECOND WARNING.

The Powers Will Allow No Fighting

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] CANEA (Island of Crete,) Feb. 17. [Copyright, 1897, Associated Press.] There was a meeting of the commanders of the foreign fleets today on the Italian flagship. It was resolved take steps toward bringing about a more peaceful state of affairs in Crete. more peaceful state of affairs in Crete. A joint note was drawn up and sent by Admiral Canevaro, the Italian commander, who is in command of the united fleets, to the Greek Consul. The note informed the representative of Greece that an attack upon Canea, Retlino, Herakilon or Sitia would be repelled by the warships of the foreign powers in Cretan waters. This step caused some alarm in Greek circles, but it is not believed to signify anything more serious than a warming to Christians and Greeks in case of fighting while the powers deliberate and come to some definite understanding regarding the future of Crete. It is still believed the powers will in some manner sanction the annexation of Crete by Greece.

AMBASSADORS TO BLAME Had They Enforced Turkish Reform

Had They Enforced Turkish Reforms
All Would Have Been Well.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—A dispatch to the Herald from St. Petersburg says: The Russian Foreign Office has before it very impartial reports about Crete from Russian consuls. All agree with the reports made by the other foreign consuls, that it was the mischief-making agitators who wanted only to work up a Cretan revolution and accuse the Mussulmans of being the offenders.

These agitators are shown up in their

true light. Hence Russia and the other powers were unanimous in regard to the course of action to be taken, and it is certain they will act with the firmness which is necessary with such lawless and traditionally turbulent people.

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As a diplomatist said today: "In truth the ambassadors in Constantinople are to blame. Five months ago they were given responsibility to execute the reforms the Sultan had granted. They have, up to now, accomplished no practical portion of their mission, the first and most important part of which was to organize a strong police force, with foreign officers, and, second, the reorganization of the law courts. Had they organized the police force at once, instead of delaying, the present troubles would not have taken place.

"To show how little Greek alarmist reports, to which even the Greek Minister of Foreign Affairs, lends himself, are credited, the stock market today was buoyant all around."

IN THE INTEREST OF PEACE. Greece's Warlike Preparations ar

Entirely Pacific.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] ATHENS, Feb. 17.—The battery of field artillery commanded by Prince Nicholas of Greece started today for Krissa, twenty miles from the Gulf of

The naval and military reserves still being enrolled. The Greek iron-clad Spezia, which arrived here from clad Spezia, which arrived here from Toulon yesterday, will be prepared for active service with all possible haste. Reinforcements are being sent to the Greek troops on the Island of Crete. Stores, provisions and munitions of war accompany them. The Greek government maintains that it is acting in the interest of the peace of Europe.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—A dispatch to the limes from Athens says the government has wired fresh instructions to ment has wired fresh instructions to Col. Vassos. Another dispatch to the Times from Athens says that Saadedir Pasha. who was recalled from Crete recently, at the instance of the pow-ers, for presenting pleas for reforms. left Constantinople for Crete yester-day with three battalions.

The Proposed Blockade

BERLIN, Feb. 17.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from Vienna this evening says most of the powers have acceded to Germany's proposal to blockade Piraeus, the port of Athens, in order to curb the warlike impulses of Greece.

Turks Fortifying Canen. Turks Fortifying Canea.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—A dispatch to
the Times from Athens says that Heut.Col. Dimbritis has been appointed chief
of staff of the Cretan expedition. The
turks are fortifying Canea. European
officers with a Turkish colonel, have
inspected the forts. The corpse of the
sister of the Russian Vice-Consul was
found mutilated at Halepa.

Retimo Being Blockaded. ATHENS, Feb. 17.—It is reported from Crete that the Christians are blockading Retimo.

Downger Czarina Promises Help. LONDON, Feb. 17.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Berlin, says that the Dowager Czarina has wired the King of Greece, promising to do everything in her power to help him.

RED CROSS WORK. Miss Clara Barton May Decide to G

to Crete.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Miss Clara
Barton and George H. Pullman of
the Red Cross Society, came to New
York from Washington yesterday. They
are at the Waidorf and will remain
several days. The object of their visit
is to confer with officers and friends
of the society on private matters pertaining to the organization. Miss
Barton has been very busy of late
since returning from the East, and it
is possible that the great disturbance
in Crete will call for active field work
by Red Cross agents, in which case
Miss Barton may make a second trip
abroad.

SOUTH AMERICAN NEWS. Soundary Between Chile and Arger

tine to Be Arbitrated.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] NEW YORK, Feb. 17.-A dispatch to the Herald from Valparaiso says: The boundary dispute between this country and Argentina relating to the line of demarkation over the Andes, has reached an important point. For the first time since the discussion of the question began, it looks as if both sides were willing to yield and leave the de-cision wholly to the arbiter chosen. The arbiter is Queen Victoria. It is hoped that where commissioners and sub-commissioners have failed to agree as to the boundary line, she will find a basis of amicable settlement.

BRAZILIANS READY FOR BATTLE The Herald correspondent in Ri Janeiro, Brazil, telegraphs that th Federal troops have entrenched them-selves in Bahla, and expect to give battle to the fanatics before the end rederal troops have entremened them-selves in Bahla, and expect to give battle to the fanatics before the end of the month. Col. Caesar has begun his military administration in Bahla by decreeing that all persons who give aid of any kind to the fanatics shall be short.

PROSPERITY IN URUGUAY. PROSPERITY IN URUGUAY.
A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos
Ayres says: President Boeda of Uruguay, the Herald correspondent in
Montevideo telegraphs, has opened
Congress. He told the members of the
Senate and Chamber that the financial condition of the republic was satisfactory. A series of political agitations had occurred, but the government had been successful in quelling
all disturbances, and they have now
lost their effect upon public affairs.

WOLCOTT ENCOURAGED.

Germany Willing to Enter into Monetary Conference

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
BERLIN, Feb. 17.—Senator Edward
O. Wolcott of Colorado, who has been visiting this city in the interests of bimetallism, has started on his return to London. While in this city the Senator conferred with Prince Hohenlohe, the Imperial Chancellor; Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, Minister for Foreign Affairs; Dr. Miquel, Minister of Finance, and Dr. Koch, Governor of the Reichsbank. He was assured that Germany would join in a bimetallic convention, provided Great Britain and France agreed to do so.

Senator Wolcott did not see the bimetallic leaders, Dr. Arendt, and Count von Mirbach, while here.

During his stay in the capital Senator Wolcott was entertained by John B. Jackson, secretary of the United States Embassy, and Charles de Kay, the United States Consul-General. visiting this city in the interests of

VENICE, Feb. 17.—The International Sanitary Conference which opened here yesterday decided today to hold secret sessions.

for the manufacture of a certain brand of rubber. He, nevertheless, had closed down and discharged the employes.

"Do ou know that at the time you discharged these men and closed this factory the United States Rubber Company purchased the Colchester factory, closed that down and threw 500 men out of employment?"

"I don't know,"
"Did not the New Brunswick factory close down in the dead of winter in 1895, throwing all its employes out of work, when it was offered a contract to produce what is known as thirdrate goods which could have kept the factory going all winter?"

"I don't know." Mr. Filnt said, "that the United States Rubber Company is producing better goods at smaller cost," adding that the wages of the employes had not been sliced off at any time.

THE RUBBER TRUST NOW UN-DER INVESTIGATION.

Charles B. Flint Proves

HE HAS A FAULTY MEMORY.

LOSES HIS TEMPER.

He Accuses the Witness of Explaining Tod Much on Immaterial Points and Quibbling as to Essentials.

IRY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Charles B. Flint's examination before the joint Legislative Committee on Trusts was ontinued today. Flint is treasurer of

the United States Rubber Company.
He explained that the capitalization of the companies consolidated by the trust was as follows: Elkan and Candee Rubber Company of New Haven, \$600,000; Goodyear Metallic Rubber Shoe Company, \$7,000,000; Meyer Rubber Company of New Brunswick, N. J., \$200,000; New Jersey Rubber Company, \$200,000: New Brunswick Rubber Company, \$300,000; American Rubber Com-pany, Cambridge, Mass., \$1,000,000; Bos-ton Rubber Company, \$300,000; Lycom-ing Rubber Company, \$400,000; Rubber Manufacturing Company, \$300,000.

tendance is unusually large, publishers from all parts of the country being present. A conference between a special committee of the association and members of the Association of Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in proprietary articles, on the subject of substitution, was held yesterday.

The first question to be considered today was that of incorporating the association. The rest of the programme was largely technical and dealt mainly with the relations between newspaper publishers and advertisers.

Not a little of the interest centers in the election of officers for the ensuing year. Among those in the lead for the the election of officers for the ensuing year. Among those in the lead for the presidency are Charles H. Taylor, Jr., Stephen O'Meara of Boston and J. Ambrose Butler of Buffalo.

William Cullen Bryant of Brooklyn was reflected secretary and the various committees will be changed somewhat in their personnel. Manufacturing Company, \$300,000.

Flint would not admit that he was the head of the rubber combination. He said that when he accepted the office of treasurer he found that certification. cates were issued in accordance with law, and eminent counsel had been con-

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Warrants were this afternoon sworn out for the arrest of five Aldermen on a charge of violating the municipal law regarding the observance of Sunday and the closing of saloons upon that day.

The Aldermen for whom the warrants were issued are John Powers, John J. Coughlin, John A. Rogers, John J. Brennan and F. Wardhams.

The complaints were filed by the Rev. W. W. Clark, who swore out warrants for the arrest of the offenders. The minister then attempted to procure a warrant for the arrest of Mayor George B. Swift on a charge of malfeasance in office. He argued that Mayor Swift, when he was elected to office, promised to observe and enforce the city laws and had not done so. The warrant was refused by Justice Hoagland, who granied the warrants for the Aldermen, and Mr. Clark was much displeased. He went away declaring that he would find another justice who would give him a warrant for the arrest of Mayor Swift.

Death of Banker Morrow. ganization.
"Do you mean to be understood," he was asked, "as saying that as treasurer of the company you never made any effort to discover whether a proper price had been paid for properties for which \$260,000,000 was issued?"

which \$260,000,000 was issued?".

"The papers were not accessible to me. The Appraising Committee were men of the highest standing, I had the utmost reliance in their report."

In reply to another question, witness said that the report referred to was stowed away in the archives of the company in New Jersey.

Senator Lexow accused Mr. Flint of "drawing fine hairs," and demanded "yes or no" to the question whether H.

B. Hollins & Co., bankers, had distributed the stock through the regular channels.

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Mr. Flint went into an elaborate ex-

channels.

Mr. Flint went into an elaborate explanation, but was brought to a halt by the chairman, who said: "You are explaining too much."

"What companies were you interested in directly?" asked the chairman.

After more quibbling the witness admitted that he had been interested in the Lycoming Rubber Company, but could not recollect to what extent. Senator Lexow continued:

"Is it not a fact that the United States Rubber Company paid the bankers a commission of 2% per cent. for selling the stocks of the various companies?"

The witness hesitated, and Senator Lexow, pounding his desk, said: "Can't you answer 'yes or no?"

"I can ascertain," said the witness.

"Was it not \$500,000?"

"I think that was the amount." the witness replied slowly.

Mr. Flint said he had no knowledge that the president of the New Brunswick Rubber Compny received an order

AULLIDAYSBURG (Pa.,) Feb. 17.— Anthony S. Morrow, a prominent Cen-tral Pennsylvania banker and capital-ist, died last night of paralysis, aged 74. The recent failure of the Williams-burg Bank is believed to have hastened his death. Receiver for Wagon Works. Receiver for Wagon Works.

PARKERSBURG (W. Va.,) Feb. 17.—
Judge Bailey has appointed Peyton
Harrison general receiver of the Auburn Wagon Works at Martinsburg.
The liabilities are \$120,000; assets, \$65,600. The concern experienced a difficulty in securing loans to conduct business.

Resorts and Cafes. RANDEST WINTER RESORT

On the Pacific Slope,
BEAUTIFUL SANTA BARBARA, The Arlington Hotel. Never Closes. The flower festival not being held this spring is drawing a great many people to Santa Barbara during Febuary, one of the best months for fishing, ocean bathing and driving. Famous Veronica Springs one mile from hotel. Write for particulars Raymond & Whitcomb coupons accepted.

A MAGIC ISLAND- SANTA CATALINA. Charming climate, wonderful natural attractions, famous fishing and wild-goat shooting. Delightful coast excursions. HOTEL METROPOLE open all the year.

Greatly reduced rates for fall and winter. Ideal accommodations for ladies and gentlemen at Eagle Camp; heart of the gaine country. Our special coupon ticket includes transportation Los Angeles to Avalon, accommodations Hotel Metropole and Eagle Camp, saddle animals, etc. Southern Packinc and Terminal trains leave Los Angeles at 9:00 and 8:80 a.m., respectively, daily except Sunday, to connect at San Pedro with boat for Avalon. Full information and illustrated pamphlets from BANNING CO., 223 South Spring St., Los Angeles A

WILSON'S PEAK—OVER A MILE HIGH. FIRST-CLASS HOTEL ACCOMMOdations at Martin's Camp \$2.00 per day; \$10 per week. Camping privileges at the Peak. Camp among the Pines, 6000 feet up. Tents by the day
week or month, furnished or unfurnished. Daily Mail and Telephone connection.
Fare. Round Trip, \$3.50; parties of 5 to 10, 83; 10 and over \$2.50. Stage leaves 44 S. Raymond ave., Pasadena, \$30 a.m. For transportation by way of Tolk Road or Sterra
Madre Trail apply to L. D. LOWRY, 44 S. Raymond Ave., Pasadena, Cal. Tel. Main 56 HOTEL SAN CABRIEL E. SAN GABRIEL, CAL. AMONG ROSES AND ORANGE FOR Appointments, tennia croquet, bowling, fine livery, beautiful new ball room; very moderate prices: special rates to "Raymond & Whitcomb" parties. N. S. MULLAN

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Take Pasadena and L. A. Electric Cars. Terms reasonable. M. D. PAINTER, Prop. HOTEL SANTA MONICA Close to R.R. depots: 12 of clock dinners a specialy.

HOTEL BELLEVUE YERRAGE—COR. 6th AND PEARL. Family and Tourist; HOTEL BELLEVUE YERRAGE—11 of and 42 per day. By the month, \$30 and up. LA SOLANA—AND COTTAGES ON GRAND AVE. MOST DELIGHTFUL PART of Pasadena Advanta geous arrangements for families.

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MPORTANT NOTICE TO TIMES ADVERTISERS.

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This will be an especially handsome and attractive edition, enclosed in an attractiva illuminated cover and at least 40,000 copies will be printed and distributed in

Every State in the Union.

Advertisers should see to it that their announcements appear in this great issue Local representatives of the Order carry with them written authorization to solicit and contract for the insertion of advertisements therein. Copy should be submitted early, in order that good positions may be secured.

THE TIMES-MIRROR COMPANY.

COAT RECORDS

A STATE FAIR MOVE

OAKLANT ASKS LEGISLATURE FOR HE INSTITUTION.

Sacrameno Will Be Apt to Rue the Day Sh Asked for Authority to Se the Fair Grounds.

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BONDS OR A CAPITOL AT PHOENIX VOTED BY ARIZONA ASSEMBLY.

An Isliana Man Who Committee Muder Surrenders Himself at Sacramento-Trial of the Gazetteer Forger.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
S.CRAMENTO, Feb. 17.—There is a
moment afoot to move the State Fair
froa Sacramento to Oakland.
5 B. Ruthenberg, a wholesale liquor
deler of Oakland, and Craigle Sharp.

seretary of the Oakland Board of Tade, are here to promote the scheme, and Hart North of Alameda will in-roduce a bill in the Assembly tomorow or Friday to remove the institu-

Mr. North said tonight that Oakland was ready to pay the expenses of fitting up suitable grounds for the fair, and that as an extra inducement the Oakland Trotting Park would be loaned during the season. The representatives of Sacramento have just had a bill present sixtying the city permission to passed giving the city permission to sell the grounds, and the Oakland peo-ple will take advantage of the fact.

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AN OUTLAWED SCHOONER.

Her Skipper Skipped Without Clearance Papers to Avoid Arrest.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17,—Captain
Harkins of the schooner Una, just arrived from Panama, may find himself in a somewhat serious predicament. His vessel has no papers of any description to present to the customhouse. The register, crew list

any description to present to the customhouse. The register, crew list and other documents necessary to permit the vessel to enter and pursue the usual formalities are non est. The fact is that the Una, in a sense, is outlawed by marine usages. It appears that the Una loaded cedar logs at Panama, the same being purchased from British firm that holds a concession for cutting the timber from the Colombian government. Part cash was paid for the cargo, and the balance, although cabled for to this city, had not arrived when the Una was loaded and ready to sail. The captain of the port at Panama came of the twessel and told Capt. Harkins that if the money due was not paid immediately, the vessel would be seized and he be placed in jail. United States Consul-General Vifquain was seen by Capt. Harkins and, as no clearance from the Colombian customs was in evidence, informed the Una's skipper that he could not deliver up the vessel's papers, advised him to pay the money due and settle matters.

According to Harkins, Consul-General Vifquain advised him to "clear out." This counsel he obeyed, the Una's anchor was hove short and the vessel she left port.

Just what disposition of the case will be made by Collector Wise is doubtful. Consul-General Vifquain has probably forwarded the Una's register and other documents to the Department of State at Washington, together with his report of the case, so that any decision in the matter will rest with Federal authorities at the capital.

CRUSHED BY A FALLING TREE. Almost an Entire Family Killed or Injured. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

Injured.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

VICTORIA (B. C.,) Feb. 17.—A very serious accident occurred during Monday night's gale, at the cottage of R. Zelle, living just north of Nanaimo. About 2 o'clock the high wind blowing brought to the ground a tree about twenty inches in diameter at its base. In failing, the tree struck the roof of the Zelles house, cutting it in two and seriously injuring the immates. Just before the accident, Zelle had left the house, and was on the wharf when he saw the tree falling. Mrs. Zelle was working a sewing machine, and there were a number of children playing in the house. The tree fell with terrific force, throwing Mrs. Zelle with terrific force, throwing Mrs. Zelle being so badly injured that he died within an hour. Mrs. Zelle received very serious internal and spinal injuries and is in a critical condition. The five-year-old daughter of Mrs. William Taylor of Departure Bay, who was staying with Mrs. Zelle, was also very dangerously hurt in the head, and cannot live.

FROZEN ORANGE TREES.

for Damages to Be Set Aside. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—A tech-mical error on the part of the Judge in overruling an objection prompted the Supreme Court today to set aside the Supreme Court today to set aside the judgment of \$8965 against the Southern Pacific Company, and to order a new trial of the case. In 1891 R. W. Pierce shipped two caribads of orange trees from Apopka, Fla., to Riverside. The Southern Pacific hauled the cars from New Orleans, the agreement being that the shortest route to California should be utilized. Owing to heavy rains on the Southern Pacific route, the company shipped the trees over the Central Pacific to Colton and thence to Riverside. While in transit the trees were frozen and totally destroyed. Suit was thereupon brought at Los Angeles, and Pierce secured judgment for \$8965. The Southern Pacific Company appealed from the judgment, claiming that the court had erred in overruling certain objections. The Supreme Court said: "We think the court erred in overruling the objection of the defendant to the proof of the masket value of the trees at Riverside, instead of confining the inquiry to the cost or value of the trees at the point of shipment in Florida, as per contract, which, with the freight paid, was the rue measure of the damages." judgment of \$8965 against the Southern

BIIS Passed.

IBY ASSOCITED PRESS WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz..) Feb. 17.—Among the new bills inroduced in the Legislature today were the following: Fixing a maximum railroad fare four cents per mile, compelling railroads to transport bleyels as luggage, providing for payment for tuberculosis cattle killed by the Territorial Veternarian, for a rigid examination of applicants for admission te the bar of Territorial courts, making he students' battalion of the University a part of the National Guard.

The bill making stockholder.

sible pro rata for corporation debts was killed.

A bill was passed by the Council instructing the County Treasurer of Pima county to destroy \$150,000 illegal bonds of the Tucson and Narrow Gauge Railroad.

bonds of the Tucson and Narrow Gauge Railroad.

The House voted favorably on appropriation bills for the completion of a new Territorial normal school, and for the issuance of \$100,000 in bonds for the construction of a Territorial capital at Phoenix,

Heil Hale, (Rep.,) has been declared elected Assemblyman from Yuma county, receiving a majority of seven votes over his opponent, Samuel Purdy. A special election was called to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Murat Masterson.

YUMA'S REPRESENTATIVE.

YUMA (Ariz.,) Feb. 17.—[Special Dispatch.] The official count of ballots cast at the special election held in Yuma county on Tuesday for the purpose of electing a member of the House of Representatives to succeed Hon. Murat Masterson, resigned, disclosed the election of Haie (Rep.,) by a plurality of seven votes over Purdy (Dem.) The result was a surprise, as not until the returns were received from the last three precincts in the county, which have heretofore been Democratic precincts, did it look as though Hale had a fighting chance.

The lower house of the Arizona Legislative Assembly now stands 21 Democrats to 3 Republicans. YUMA'S REPRESENTATIVE.

GAVE HIMSELF UP.

Hoosier Murderer Surrendered Himself at Sacramento. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

Himself at Sacramento.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17.—E. B.
Kent. a man who about a week ago walked into the Sheriff's office and surrendered himself, saying that he thought he had committed a murder in Indiana a few years ago, will be taken back to the scene of his crime to stand trial for his life.

Sheriff Johnson, at the request of Kent, communicated with the authorities of Centerton, Ind., and today received a telegram saying that Kent was wanted at that place for the murder of Noah King, and that an officer had left there to take him back Kent, who is evidently demented, says the crime was committed on the night of November 5, 1894, on a farm three miles west of Centerton. Both men were intoxicated, and became involved in a quarrel. during which Kent stabbed his opponent with a dirk and then fied, not knowing whether or not he had killed King.

THE GAZETTEER FRAUD. Trial of Dewey for Raising Figures

Trial of Dewey for Raising Figures on Contracts.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Judge Carroll Cook is engaged in the trial of E. P. Dewey, a young eastern forger, who is regarded by the police as a most dangerous man. Dewey came hither last December as the representative of a publishing concern alleged to be engaged in printing a directory. The enterprise was called the Union Business Gazetteer, with headquarters in Chiterprise was called the Union Business Gazetteer, with headquarters in Chicago. The preliminary work of soliciting subscriptions and advertisements for the Gazetteer had been done in the San Francisco business community about a year previous, and Dewey came to gather in the profits. He presented the contracts at different business houses and collected, under protest, considerable sums of money, for, in each instance, the original contract which called for \$2, had been raised to sums ranging from \$4 to \$7.

SALE OF MINERAL LANDS.

an English Company Gets Part o the Mariposa Grant.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—A sale

has been made of a one-sixth interest has been made of a one-sixth interest in the celebrated Mariposa grant. This is the first transaction of this kind since 1887, when the present owner came into possession by purchase. The price paid for the interest to the owner, Alvinza Hayward, was \$166,666, at the rate of \$1,000,000 for the entire

tract.
The purchaser is the California Exploration Company, a London syndicate. The Mariposa grant contains 45,000 acres, including about eight miles of the "mother lode."

shot yesterday by Barney Kenney, died today. Kenney was arraigned in the Police Court for murder this morning. His brother asked for a continuance. saying he desired to secure counsel, and prepare a defense on the grounds that the murderer is insane. The prisoner says his only regret is that he did not also kill Pat Meehan, whom, with the dead man, he accuses of trying to poison him several years ago.

The Queen's Passengers.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—The following passengers left on the steamer Queen for Port Los Angeles: Harlen Marshall, Rosie Dewitt.
George Leslie, Sadie Langdon, Miss Pierce, Alice Erlefn, Jannie Brown, Mas Ganahl, Mase Borroughs, Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. Swift, Wrs. Swift, Miss Ganahl,
Mrs. Schoffeld,
Mrs. White,
Mrs. Swift,
H. Eversole,

Mrs. J. Dubble, L. Stevens, Mrs. L. Stevens, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Adams, Miss Watkins, Mrs. Donova Miss Bryan, ovan, A. Post, John Stratton, Mrs. Douglas.

inquiry to the cost or value of the trees at the point of shipment in Florida, as per contract, witch, with the freight paid, was the rue measure of the damages."

ARIZONA LEGISLATURE.

Normal School and Capitol Bond

Bill Passed.

Mrs. Kinsel,
A. Post,
John Stratton,
Joseph Dubble,
Mrs. Douglas.

C. Weber,
Mrs. C. Austin,
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Mrs. Stevens,
Mrs. Wright,
S. Brook,
Mrs. Baker,
For San Diego—

B. Armstrong,
H. Bridge,
J. Bentenen,
Mrs. J. Bentenen
C. Smith,
M. Squires,
E. West,
W. Ely,
J. Mullen,
A. Ross,
Mrs. A. Ross,

journed tonight. The following officers were elected for the current year: President, Russell W. Osborne; Vice-President, Louis Weinmann; Secretary and Treasurer. Calvert Meade; Executive Committee, F. D. Argall, Edward Niles and R. P. Fabj; Election Committee, W. H. Bowden, H. M. Grant, F. C. Argall, F. J. Devlin, H. A. Craig, A. R. Grim, George F. Grant, George D. Dorin, R. V. Watt, William Sexton, C Bertheau, C. Mason Kinne, D. E. Niles, George E. Bunker and George H. Tyson.

Death of Capt. Perry.

SANTA CRUZ, Feb. 17.—Capt. Alfonse B. Perry, one of the early navigators along the coast, died last night, aged 51 years. He came here when 7 years old. He was master twenty-six years ago of the schooner A. P. Jordan, the first three-masted vessel on this coast. For many years he ran along the northern coast and to the Hawaiian Islands, and is said to have carried the first consignment of lumber to San Diego.

Murderer Kleupfer's Examination.

STOCKTON, Feb. 17.—The preliminary examination of Charles Kleupfer, for the murder of C. R. Dodge and Alexander Borland at New Hope, on the evening of the 2d inst., was commenced this afternoon before Justice Parker. Three witnesses were examined before the case was continued untils temorrow, Judge Swinnerton, for the defendant, is making a close examination of all witnesses.

An Engine Strikes a Deaf Man. OAKLAND, Feb. 17.—William Jones was struck by a local train today sustaining injuries which will probably cause his death. He is 67 years old, deaf and an invalid. He did not hear the approaching suburban train, and was hurled thirty feet by the engine.

Suffrage Bill Again Beaten. CARSON (Nev..) Feb. 17.—The Wo-man Suffrage Bill was taken up again today for reconsideration. and was again lost in the Assembly, by a vote of 15 to 15.

CALVE MADE A MASH.

DETECTIVES GUARD THE QUEEN OF THE OPERA.

Kill Her if He is not Granted an Interview-The French Star Thoroughly Alarmed.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—[Special Dispatch.] While Mme. Calve was singing Marguerite in "Faust" this evening at the Metropolitan Operahouse, detectives were guarding the entrance, wait-ing to arrest a mysterious man, who, an hour earlier, had told the soprano's companion, Mme. Welewski, that if Calve did not accord him an interview after the performance, he would shoot her. The singer, on several occasions, recently has received incoherent letters in terms of endearment, and begging for an interview, but it was not until this evening that the author began to threaten. He attempted to obtain an interview with Calve at her hotel at 6 o'clock, and, falling, left after making a threat to kill her. The man disappeared before he could be pointed out to the police, and to make sure he should have no chance to carry out his threat, special policemen were de-tailed and every entrance was guarded. It is supposed from the letters Calve received, that this threatening admirer saw her when "Carmen" was sung in New Haven two weeks ago, and his mania dated from her appearance there in her greatest rele in her greatest role.

SWELL WEDDING.

A Tennessee Belle and an English Honorable United. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NASHVILLE (Tenn.,) Feb. 17.—To-night in the First Presbyterian Church Rev. I. N. Vance, D.D., officiating, Miss Elizabeth Brown and Hon. Archibald Majoribanks of England were married. The church was filled with plants and flowers. The American and British flags were intertwined and a harp of pinks and roses presented to Lady Aberdeen by the Irish of Nashville, was Aberdeen by the Irish of Nashville, was the central figure. The bride is a mem-ber of one of the most prominent fam-ilies in the State. The groom is a brother to Lady Aberdeen, wife of the governor-general of Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Majoribanks left tonight for Flor-ida. Lord Aberdeen and party leave to-morrow.

THE TEXAS GROUNDED.

Mud at Galveston.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 17.—A special to the Republic from Galveston says the bat-tleship Texas got stuck hard and fast in the mud in Bolivar roads yesterday just after crossing the bar, and re-mained in that condition until 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. This explains the reason why she anchored a mile from the city. A lightering crew worked from the city. A lightering crew worked all day and night to get her affoat, and in the accomplishment of the work, it is reported that a dredge boat played an important part. It is thought that as soon as she can get safely outside she will put to sea. Her detention in the roads is still a secret and every effort is being made to guard it.

PASSING OF GEN. PLEASANTON. He Lived the Life of a Hermit at the National Capital.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Gen. Alfred Pleasanton, a distinguished cavalry commander of the late war, died at the Greacon House at 3 o'clock this

Gen. Pleasanton, for several years, lived almost a hermit's life in Wash-ington, not moving out of his apartington, not moving out of his apart-ments. He felt that he had not been well treated by the government after his distinguished services in the war. His only attendants were his private secretary, Mr. Murphy, and Henrietta Roane, a faithful colored nurse, who were with him when he passed away.

Fatal Elevator Accident.

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.,) Feb. 17.—One of the passenger elevators in the St. James Hotel got beyond control of the conductor today. It went up at full speed, crashed through the roof, turned over and fell down the air shaft, a distance of five stories. The elevator conductor and a guest were in the magnetic productor and a guest were in the magnetic productor. tance of five stories. The elevator conductor and a guest were in the ma-chine at the time. Both are dying.

Silas A. Barton Assigns.

HE BETS ON HIMSELF

CORBETT PUTS UP TWO TO ONE THAT HE WINS.

The Champion Does not Relish the Chilly Climate at Carson, but Begins Training.

HOOSIERS WILL BE ON HAND.

SPECIAL TRAIN OF SPORTS FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

dissouri Legislators Would Like to See the Fight—Two Boston Ban-tams Fight a Game Battle at Gotham,

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] CARSON (Nev.,) Feb. 17.—When Corbett arose this morning he was suron the ground and, while the cham-pion is anxious to be at his quarters at Shaw's Springs, he will not go out un-til the weather clears up. In the mean time he has to be content with playing pool and taking dumbell exercises in

Martin Julian, Fitzsimmon's manager, and brother-in-law arrived here last evening in search of training quarters for his principal, but up to the present time has found nothing. He stopped off at Steamboat Springs on his way up, but was not satisfied with the place and will endeavor to secure a quiet spot in the immediate vicinity of Carson. It is understood that he has made partial arrangements with a private family in the outskirts of Carson, and matters are now merely resting until terms can be arranged satisfactorily to every-

one.

Betting in small amounts has commenced, and is even as a general thing, with the exception of \$200 which Jim Corbett placed on himself against \$100

Corbett placed on himself against \$100 last evening.

After visiting his training grounds, Corbett went to the operahouse and commenced training for an hour or two. First he wrestled with McVey fifty minutes and did some rapid work with his brother Joe and then sparred fifteen rounds with Billy Woods. He then went to lunch and consumed enough to last an ordinary man a week.

Delaney, White, Jeffries and Brady will all be added to the Corbett training staff at an early date.

HOOSIERS WILL BE ON HAND.
INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 17.—Indianap-

HOOSIERS WILL BE OF HAND.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 17.—Indianapolis and vicinity will, in all probability, be well represented at the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill at Carson March 17. Ollie Lanhan, who conducted a large excursion from this city to the Corbett-Sullivan fight, is arranging with the Pennsylvania and Missouri Pacific roads for a special train which will make the round trip and be at the service of the passengers during the fight. This train will start from Cincinnati on the morning of March 13 arriving here at noon with about fifty passengers. Here about forty more will get on, with another car, and at Terre Haute a private car with a party from that place will be added. At St. Louis the train will be made up for the round trip with ten coaches, including a dining car, buffet and baggage car loaded with provisions. An additional car will be taken on at Kansas City and, it is expected, the train will run from St. Louis to Carson in sixty hours, arriving there the day before the fight. The passengers will occupy the train during their stay at Carson. INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 17 .- Indianap-

Good Prices at the Splan-Newgrass
Horse Sale.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

Horse Sale.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—At the Spaln-Newgrass horses sale today the bidding was sharp and competitive. The top price of the day was for the black stallion, Direction, record 2:08¼, son of the great Director, which was knocked down to W. F. James of Terre Haute, for \$3500.

The next highest price was for Lake Erie, record 2:13½, sold to George Ketcham of Toledo, for \$2900. Lake Erie was one of the greatest campaigners of last season—Newberger, record 2:15½, by Jay Bird, to E. Oglesby, Kansas City, for \$2550.

May Rose, 2:16½, by Anterior, to A. D. Cronck of Buffalo, for \$350; Russellmont, 2:12½, by Lord Russell, to J. A. Pearsail of Lansing, Mich., \$700; Sibylla, 2:13½, by Simmons, to James Murphy of Chicago, \$1025.

2:13½, by Simmons, to James Murphy of Chicago, \$1025. BATTLE BY BANTAMS.

Patsy Haley Put Out by Dave Sulli-IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 17.—Among the new bills inroduced in the Legishing a maximum railroad fare four gents per mile, compelling railroads to transport bleycles as luggage, providing for payment for tuberculosis cattle.

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unable to withstand the assaults upon him.

The "unlucky" thirteenth round was the last, and Haley will have good cause to remember it. He went down twice from Sullivan's swings. The first time down he was nearly counted out, but saved himself by a second. The second time he went down he lay close to his corner on the ropes and was unable to get up before the referee had counted him out. About 3000 people were present and every one of them went away perfectly satisfied that he had seen the fastest and hardest battle that ever took place between bantam boxers in a ring.

Oakland Races.

OAKLAND, Feb. 17.—Weather clear and pleasant; track heavy.
Three and a half furlongs, for two-year-olds; Hermosa won, Roxy Murphy second, Rosa third; time 0:45.
Six furlongs: Arrezzo won, Lost Girl second. Nine Ninety-Nine third; time 1:19%.
Two miles, match race, \$500 a side: Schiller won, Morte Fonse second; time 3:44%.
One mile: Moylan won, Thornhill second, Two Cheers third; time 1:47%.
Shell Mound handicap, seven furlongs, value \$1000: Caspar won, Torpedo second, Roselle third; time 1:31%.
One mile and three-eighths, hurdle handicap: Reddington won, Helio second, Zaragoza third; time 2:42.

A Wrestling Match.

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PARKERSBURG (W. Va.,) Feb. 17.—

Peter Schumacher, the Cleveland wrestler, last Thursday published a challenge to wrestle any one at any weight. McInnerney, the New York champion, who is wintering here, has accepted. The match is to be for \$500 a side. The articles will soon be signed.

BRADFORD (Ont.,) Feb. 17.—John S. Johnson, the bleycle-rider, is reported as a lighte better today, though not out of danger.

FARMERS' ALLIANCE. Supreme Council Transacts Con-siderable Business. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—A discussion over the insurance system of the order occupied most of the first session of the Supreme Council of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union today. The Committee on Changes in the Constitution reported in favor of allowing the National Alliance Aid, now in session at Dallas, Tex., to vote on the proposition to continue to operate under the control of the control of

MEMPHIS (Tenn.,) Feb. 17.—A special to the Commercial Appeal from Atlanta, Ga., says a determined effort was made in Decatur this evening to cial to the Commercial Appeal from Atlanta, Ga., says a determined effort was made in Decatur this evening to lynch Edward Flanagan, the destroyer of the Allen family, the mob being headed by John Stack, a brother of Miss Stack, one of Flanagan's victims. There was a scent of blood early in the day when Judge Candler, who is trying the case, announced that as the colone of the Fifth Georgia Regiment he would see that the prisoner was protected. The trend of the evidence was that Flanagan was a victim of parancea. Just as the prisoner was getting on the train with his guard to return to Atlanta, a mob of 800 men, headed by John Stack, made a dash for him. The train pulled out just in time. Judge Candler tonight called out the Fifth Regiment, which will escort the prisoner and guard to the courtroom.

Atlanta, Ga., says a determined effort was made in Cleveland. The train pulled out just in time. Judge Candler tonight called out the Fifth Regiment, which will escort the prisoner and guard to the courtroom.

DES MOINES (Iowa,) Feb. 17.—Annie S. and George S. Redhead assigned today for the benefit of their creditors. The assets are valued at \$200,000 and the liabilities at \$75,000, but it has been impossible to convert any of the assets into cash to meet maturing obligations. BLOOMINGTON (III.) Feb. 17.—
Means Bros., Gray & Co., wholesale grocers, have failed. The assets are estimated at \$78,000; liabilities not stated.

CONVALESCING.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

will without doubt be taken care of if her politicians will only allow it. If her politicians will only allow it. If New York is unrepresented in the Cabinet, it will be her own fault. The chances now are bright that the Empire State will get a place. This will leave the Postmaster-Generalship for

Mr. Hanna or a Southerner.

The chances are so much against Mr.
Hanna taking the place, that the South is very much in the running. There are a number of patriots and statesmen down there who are being considered. H. C. Payne of Wisconsin, who was looked upon as Postmaster-General, if Mr. Hanna did not take the place, is out of consideration. In the first place he is surrounded with Cabinate of the consideration of the considerati

nest place he is surrounded with Cabinet officials, one in Michigan, one in Iowa and one in Illinois, and there are other reasons.

A Cincinnati special says George B. Cox, the Southern Ohio Republican boss and Foraker's chief supporter, openly declares for Hanna for Senator. This is a big political sensation, and is thought to settle beyond a doubt that Hanna will succeed Sherman.

AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE.

Nice Berth Reserved for Gen. Horace Porter.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Among the first nominations that President McKinley will send to the Senate will be that of Gen. Horace Porter to be Ambassa-dor to France. It is reported from un-questionable authority that the President-elect has sent word to that effect

dent-elect has sent word to that effect to Gen. Porter.
Gen. Porter, when seen, said: "There is nothing to say in the matter." He would not further discuss the subject.
William McKinley Osborne, secretary of the Republican National Committee, was closeted for two hours with Gen. Porter. Nothing could be learned of the object of his visit beyond the fact that the inauguration had been discussed.

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Handy Hanna.

CANTON (O..) Feb. 17.—National Chairman Hanna remained at the Mc-Kinley home all night and until 12:30 o'clock this afternoon, when he returned to his home in Cleveland. He had nothing to say as to his visit. He was in close communication with Maj. McKinley and all visitors who wished interviews with the latter were taken care of by Mr. Hanna during the morning. It is possible Mr. Hanna may return to Canton later in the week.

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Miss Wright Will Wed the Man Who Saved Her Life.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] PITTSBURGH, February 17.—Payton Wright, an attorney of Pittsburgh, will play a prominent part in the swellest wedding of the year in London, for which place he left last night. He will

They Decline to Indorse the Loud Postal Bill.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] GALVESTON, Feb. 17.—The National Editorial Association convened in Har-mony Hall at 10 a.m. After the ap-pointment of working committees the polniment of working committees the president's address was read. It was followed by papers on "The Rural Free Mail Delivery and the Postat Laws as Related to Newspapers,' by Matt Parrott of Waterloo, Iowa: on Newspaper Legislation," by William Berri of Brooklyn, N. Y., and on "Electricity in the Pressroom." The papers were ordered printed.

All amendments to the constitution were referred to committees.

A motion to appoint a committee of three to prepare a resolution in favor of the Loud bill now pending in the Senate was voted down.

PENALTY FOR FAVORITISM. Pay Heavy Fines (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 17.—Judge Parlange of the United States Dis-trict Court, pronounced sentence on the Texas and Pacific Railroad officials, Gary to Be Postmaster-General.

LYNN (Mass.) Feb. 17.—A personal friend of President-elect McKinley who resides in Washington and is staying here a few days, stated today that it is positively decided that Hon. James A. Gary of Maryland will be the southern member of McKinley's Cabinet, being assigned to the position of Postmaster-General.

Brooklyn Court of Inquiry.

PHILADELPHIA. Feb. 17.—The court of inquiry appointed by the Secretary of the Navy to determine the cause of and fix the responsibility for the accident to the cruiser Brooklyn in the Delaware River, January 30, met today on board the ship and began their inquiry.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th
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Notary Public in and for the County of Los
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COTTON'S FIGHT.

BURNS DEFEATED IN SIX ROUNDS BY THE NEGRO.

Result of the Boxing Match at the Athletic Club Last Night.

CHICAGO MAN KNOCKED OUT

HE MADE IT INTERESTING FOR HIS

Description of the Contest by Rounds—Minor Matches of Lim-ited Rounds—Gallegher Bests Burkhardt.

A large and enthusiastic crowd gath ered in the gymnasium of the Los An-geles Athletic Club last night to see the fifteen-round glove contest be-tween Jim Burns of Chicago, and Joe Cotton, the negro, of Los Angeles. The mill was won by Cotton in the sixth round, and the contest was a spirited and interesting one from start to finish.

There was considerable delay in getting started with the evening's enter-tainment, and the growth was set frequency. tainment, and the crowd was not slow to manifest its impatience. There were three preliminry events, and the first one commenced at 9 o'clock. It was a four-round match between Mike Thornton of San Pedro and Joe Welsh of Port Costa. John Brink officiated as

ton of San Pedro and Joe Welsh of Port Costa. John Brink officiated as referee. These men are featherweights and have met before. Thornton is much the taller of the two, and has the longer reach. He showed himself to be in somewhat better form than his smaller, older and more clever antagonist. but the latter hit Thornton pretty much as he pleased. Thornton took his medicine well, and did not look badly as he came up at the beginning of each round.

None of the rounds was startlingly lively, but in the first Thornton was knocked down, and in the second a hard right counter brought the claret from his nose. Neither of the men seemed anxious to fight. Welsh assumed the aggressive during the first rounds, and Thornton seemed utterly unable to take advantage of any opening on account of what appeared to be paralysis of his right. That hand was of no more use to him than if he had had it tied down.

The second go was a four-round exhibition between the favorite of the club, Billy Gallegher, who appeared amid great and prolonged applause, with his recently broken arm done up in a leather bandage, and one of his pupils, Jack Burkhardt. John Brink, as he introduced Burkhardt, took occasion to announce the match of March II, between the old rivals. Dempsey and Burkhardt, who fought a draw not long ago. Brink also refereed this bout. Burkhardt went after his 'stronger and more scientific opponent with a vim that was truly commendable, but received a broken nose from a right counter given him by Gallegher in the third round.

Seldom is prettier work seen in the line of ducking, side-stepping and the other methods of escape from the blows of an antagonist than Gallagher treated the crowd to last night. Repeatedly Gallegher drew back his injured left as if the temptation to strike with the

of an antagonist than Gallagher treated the crowd to last night. Repeatedly Gallegher drew back his injured left as if the temptation to strike with the broken member was too-great to be overcome, but he always held it back. Burkhardt's left side was red from the frequent resounding slaps of Gallegher's right. At the end of the fourth round, before Gallegher left the ring, John Brink stated that "Billy" wished to challenge the winner of the Cotton-Burns match. This statement was received with prolonged cheering by the crowd.

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clans, and in nearly all cases ultimately proves and face, swinging wildly, but inflicting terrible punishment on Burns each time one of his sledge-hammer blows fails. It cures all blood discass and can be relied upon after all else fails. It cures all blood discass.

T. D. MOTT, Both men were breathing heavily and showing signs of extreme exertion when they responded to the call of time in the sixth and last round. Burns appeared to have, by his remarkable powers of recuperation, partially overcame the effects of the severe bunishment he received in the preceding round. The round was only just started when Cotton landed a terrific right on Burns's cheek and the Chicago man went down like a log. The time-keeper p.m. Parior cars on all trains.

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them down in cold blood, and then put to death the children, reserving the women and girls for the soldiers. The bodies were thrown down the heights,

The Senate Foreign Committee De-

Cotton was asked after the fight about Gallagher's challenge, but he declared that matter too far ahead to be discussed. Cotton was feeling as well as when he stepped into the ring before the fight, but said that he had been punished severely in the third and fourth rounds, and was very tired both when he came up for the fifth and sixth. A detailed account of the mill by rounds is as follows:

First round—Burns led with the right, falling short, and after considerable sparring, rushed Cotton to his corner, where the negro clinched, Burns missing a left and right swing. Burns again led with his right and tried a vicious left swing for the wind, but failed to land either blow.

Second round—Burns led with his left, Cotton ducking and clinching. Cotton rushed in and gave Burns a terrific left smash on the nose, clinching to avoid infighting. Burns feints, then rushes and misses Cotton, who runs away. Burns again rushes, landing a right on the wind, and missing a vicious left upper-cut. Burns falls short with a left lead and Cotton rushes and gets in three good punches, a left counter in the ribs, a right on the jaw and another left on the neck, which glanced off. Burns was brought to his knees and clinched to avoid punishment. Burns rushes and Cotton runs away, meeting another rush by a left counter on the wind and a clinch. Cotton closed the round by a rush and clinch, missing a left lead for the jaw.

Third round—Cotton feints and Burns rushes, the negro cleverly ducking and clinching Burns around the legs. Burns feints with the left, Cotton getting away and running around the ring. Burns rushes Cotton to the ropes, lands his left on the stomach and Cotton fell short with a right lead, getting in a left counter on the neck and clinching. Burns rushes Cotton to the ropes and smashes him in the ribs with the left after the call of time.

Fourth round—Burns comes up with blood flowing from the cut on his left cheek. Cotton lands a right on the body, Cotton closing the round by a wild right swing, cotton diens a rig clines to Interfere.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] ASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- The ate Foreign Relations Committee today spent considerable time in discussing a spent considerable time in discussing a resolution introduced by Senator Morgan, instructing the Secretary of State to request the release of Julio Sanguilly, a naturalized citizen of the United States, now in prison in Cuba. The committee will hold a special session tomorrow to further the matter, in order to ascertain from the State Department whether any information in regard to Sanguilly's case has been received since February 1. There was no disagreement among the members of the committee on the point that Gen. Sanguilly had been badly treated, but some of them were duclined to the opinion that the State Department

Manufacturing and Agricultural In-terests of Spain Object. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

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ties and an immense crowd gathered to acclaim his arrival with shouts of joy. Almost all of the houses in the town were decorated in honor of the event. Over six thousand cases of smallpox were reported as being registered in Havana today.

Advices from Pinar del Rio state that the insurgent leaders Ramon and Lazo, who recently surrendered while suffering from wounds, have since died. Great military activity is noted on both sides of the province of Santa Clara.

Sylvester Scovel, the correspondent of the New York World, who was arrested

Sylvester Scovel, the correspondent of the New York World, who was arrested at Lunas on February 6, has been transferred to Santa Clara for trial. It is understood that Gen. Lee had previously wired to Secretary Olney suggesting the withdrawal of the petition to transfer Scovel to Havana, in view of the receipt of advices stating that the prisoner had been well treated at Sancti Spiritus and that he had been shown every courtesy under the Spanish law.

Private advices received from Colmenar, near Celda-Mocha, province of Mantanzas, say that Lieut.-Col. Alfan has had a three hours' engagement with the insurgents under Raoul Arango, inflicting a loss of many men upon the enemy.

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It is further stated that Arango was among the killed. The troops lost six men killed. BOUND FOR CUBA.

A Large Finibustering Expedition

counted nine before Burns arose to his feet and the negro was ready and waiting for him. As Burns, already very groggy, staggered to an upright position, Cotton rushed at him and floored him again, this time landing on the neck. Again the time-keeper counted nine, and Burns got up just in time. He anticipated the colored man's rush, and as he arose to his feet countered with his right for Cotton's face. But the negro was too much the master of the situation to overlook this opportunity and he ducked, gave a side step to the right and swung that fateful right arm for the last time, landing a straight punch just over Burns's heart and he went down to rise no more.

The referee counted the fallen man out, and no look of intelligence passed over his countenance, nor did he make any effort to rise, Burns was able to walk into his dressing-room, after a few minutes' rest, and was very sore over his defeat. There was a large lump under his right eye, a cut on each cheek and one on the bridge of his nose.

Cotton was asked after the fight Men and Children Shot Down Like
Dogs, Women and Giris Reserved
for a Worse Fate.

A CALL FOR REINFORCEMENTS.

WEYLER OUTWITTED BY THE
CUBAN COMMANDER.

Spanish Agriculturists and Manufacturers Dissatisfied with the
Proposed Colonian Reforms.
War Debt Problem.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE]
CINCINNATI, Feb. 17.—A special to the Commercial Tribune from Havana says: A band of Spanish guerrillas, commanded by Maj. Taso of Gen. Perez's army in Pinar del Rio province, is reported to have captured the heights of somers to the sword. The heights were partially fortified, and a number of Cuban families were there, the insurgents of the sword. The heights were partially fortified, and a number of Cuban families were there, the insurgents one hundred prisoners to the sword. The heights were partially fortified, and a number of Cuban families were there, the insurgents on the sword. The heights were partially fortified, and a number of Cuban families were there, the insurgents numbering about two hundred. Taso had the aid of a deserter from the camp, and making a night attack surprised the place, and after three hours' hard fighting, captured it. About one hundred insurgents escaped, but the others and many women and chill-dren were captured. Drawing the prisoners up in line the Spanish troops shot them down in cold blood, and then put to death the children, reserving the women and grips for the soldiers. The same the partial par

Luis Plends not Guilty.

bodies were thrown down the heights, completely choking up a small gorge. An imperative order for reinforces ments was received at Havana today from Gen. Weyler. It is reported that Gomez has outwitised the Spanish commander in some manner and that his plans have miscarried, much to his chagrin.

SANGUILLY'S CASE.

The Senate Foreign Committee De-Trainmen Fatally Hurt.

GOOD GUNNERS WANTED. An Important Branch of the Milltary Neglected.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Senator Hawley, chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, has filed a written reply urging the imporatnce of increasing the artillery branch of the military service by the addition of two regi-ments. He says this increase is essential to the care and preservation of the costly works and new guns already

Senator Hawley adds: "Splendid high Manufacturing and Agricultural Interests of Spain Object.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—A dispatch to the World from Madrid says: Deputations waited upon Premier Canovas and Finance Minister Reverter today and made strong representations in behalf of the manufacturing and agricultural interests of Spain, deprecating what they term excessive "concessions" to the United States, and to the colonies in the contemplated colonial reforms and tre-ty of commerce with the States.

Both the Premier and Minister assured the delegation that nothing will be dore for some time yet, nor without due investigation, parliamentary and otherwise, to determine the feasible limits of the new policy.

The Council of State has approved the reforms with unimportant please that the vices are absolutely without a guard, while there ought to be carefully-enlisted body of men being taught to understand the work and preserve the destant hawing and expensive lifting devices are absolutely without a guard, while there ought to be carefully-enlisted body of men being taught to understand the work and preserve the guard and the work and preserve the station is indispensable. Since 1887 Congress has appropriated for the purchase of sites and construction of grun factory at Watervielt, the carriage factory and since September, 1888, 12,153.297 for armament—a total for for fortifications in the preserve the stand the work and preserve the sugard to understand the work and preserve the stated body of men being taught to understand the work and preserve the sugard to un power guns and expensive lifting de

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Nor will the government fix a date for putting the reforms into execution until pacification is very far advanced in the four western provinces.

HAVANA ADVICES.

Gen. Weyler Given an Ovation at Sancti Spiritus.

IFY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

HAVANA, Feb. 17.—Gen. Weyler was received at Sancti Spiritus today with enthusiasm. The local authorities and an immense crowd gathered to acclaim his arrival with shouts of joy. Almost all of the houses in the town were decorated in honor of the event. Over six thousand cases of smallpox were reported as being registered in Havana today.

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SACRAMENTO.

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successor to History Clerk Al Lindley, who was appointed some time ago to take the place in the Secretary of State's office made vacant by the resignation of McCalvy.

The following Assembly bills were passed: Repealing certain sections of the Penal Code relating to game; by North, concerning bridges across navigable streams; amending the Penal Code relating to penalties for selling liquor to drunkards and Indians; by Kenyon, to provide a system of street improvement bonds; by Bridgford, amending the code relating to the time of commencing actions.

of commencing actions.
On motion of Senator Dickinson the
Assembly messages were taken up and
the Assembly concurrent resolution appointing a joint committee to investigate the printing office. Dibbleamendment relating to the appointment
of printing experts and accountants
was stricken out and the resolution was
adopted.

ASSEMBLY.—The bills for the relief
of the State Printing Office, special orders, were taken up. Dibble had two
bills making appropriations aggregating \$75,000. Shanahan had a substitute
naming \$40,000 for the legislative

The report of the committee whole on Dibble's bills, Nos. 8 The report of the committee of the whole on Dibble's bills, Nos. 863 and 864, was adopted. Shanahan then moved his amendment to bill No. 863, which provided that \$40,000, or as much thereof as would be necessary for legislative printing office provided that such appropriation shall redeive the appropriat of the Board of Examiners. The amendment was lost.

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Caminetti offered an amendment to the same effect, which was voted down. The bill was finally passed, and Caminetti gave notice of reconsideration.
Bill No. 884, aprpopriating \$35,000 for the State Printing Office, was also passed, Caminetti giving notice of reconsideration.
Consideration of Shanahan's bill was indefinitely postponed, the author giving notice of reconsideration.
The Committee on Public Printing reported back the concurrent resolution appointing Senators Dickinson, Gillett and Seawall and Assemblymen Price, Dennery and McLauren a Joint

Gillett and Seawall and Assemblymen Price, Dennery and McLauren a joint committee to investigate the charges made by Gov. Budd against the State Printing Office. The name of Caminetti was substituted for that of McLauren. Dibble amended by providing that two printing experts and two accountants, one of each to be named by the majority, and one by the minority, be appointed.

The minority of the Committee Dade-county (Mo.) bar the other day, after passing a highly creditable examination. She is 55 years old.

The ever-youthful Sara Bernhardt has a new hobby. It is pottery, and she describes her handlwork from the fashioning of clay to the heating of the oven, with the enthusiastic delight of a girl.

Elizabeth J. Gardner, whose marriage to Bouguereau, after a nineteen-years'

jority, and one by the minority, be appointed.

The minority of the Committee on Public Printing made a report embodying a resolution calling for an investigation of the printing office for the forty-second to the forty-eighth fiscal years, inclusive. The report was voted down and the resolution as amended was adopted.

The resolution appointing A. W. Branch assistant clerk of the Assembly, the appointment to date from January II, was adopted.

The bill appropriating moneys for improvements at San Quentin and Folsom was reported adversely by the Committee on Prisons.

The amendment to the Civil Code in relation to common carriers was reported adversely by the Committee on Corporations.

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Assembly bills 902, 903, 904 and 905 being substitutes for bills relating to highways and the Bureau of Highways were made special orders for Friday at

Bills Favorably Reported.

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SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17.—The Assembly Committee on Judiciary decided today to report favorably on Cutter's constitutional amendment relating to the election of county officers and providing for their compensation.

The Assembly Committee on Retrenchment tonight decided to report in favor of abolishing the State Dairy Bureau and turning the affairs of the bureau over to the Board of Health.

A committee bill giving authority to the State Printer to revise and reduce reports sent to him was agreed upon.

The Evergreen Home.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 17.—The Senate Committee on Hospitais decided to-night, to report in favor of the bill appropriating \$10,000 for the support of the Evergreen Home near San José. Permission is also granted by the bill to allow the institution to be incorporated under the name of the Women's Relief Corps Association.

ffragists Renew Their Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Members of the Woman Suffrage Association are preparing to go before the Legislature at Sacramento to renew the fight for the equality of the sexes at the polls. They desire to have the question again placed before the people, and believe the Legislature will grant their desire.

A NEW FOOD FISH.

Southern Pacific Claim.

Leaves Texas.

DALLAS (Tex.,) Feb. 17.—The News tomorrow will print the following story, which its reporters cannot verify except to strike disconnected fragments here and there:

"One of the largest Cuban expeditions that has salled from the Guiff coast, squared away tonight for the Queen of the Antilles, from Pass Caballo, midway between Corpus Christiand Galveston. The expedition consisted of 300 thoroughly armed from sisted of 300 thoroughly armed from sisted of 300 thoroughly armed from South and Service.

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tects are at last taking it up. They find side walls and all the furniture in the room, is painted white. The successive reflections from these surfaces fill the room with a mellow, diffused light, under which work so loses its irksomeness that the men linger at night over their drawings. Two of the lights are mounted over each drawing board; the light is said to be even more agreeable and restful to the eye than daylight, throwing no shadows upon the drawing paper from any direction.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

The Queen Regent of Spain smokes more than a dozen cigarettes a day. Queen Victoria's chaplain in ordinary, Rev. A. Robins, has just preached his five thousandth sermon at Windsor. Miss Winnie Curl has been appointed superintendent of city charities of Memphis, Tenn. She succeeds a man.

G. C. Clemens, who has just been made a reporter for the Kansas Su-preme Court, is a cousin of Mark Twain.

Miss Jessie Ackerman, now in Balti-more, will soon enter upon her duties as assistant pastor of the Fourth Baptist Church of Chicago.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett has had her Washington home on Massa-chusetts avenue furnished up through-out, and will return from England to occurry it.

Miss Eliza Talcott, who has been a missionary in Japan for twenty-five years and acted as a nurse in the Japanese army during the war with China, is visiting her old home in Rockville, Ct. Mrs. America Louisa Joslin of South Greenfield, Mo., was admitted to the Dade-county (Mo.) bar the other day, after passing a highly creditable examination. She is 85 years old.

a girl.

Elizabeth J. Gardner, whose marriage to Bouguereau, after a nineteen-years' engagement, has recently taken place in Paris. Kate Field and Annie Whitney, the sculptor of Boston, were all pupils at Lasell Seminary.

The Queen of Roumania, the Queen Regent of Spain, Queen Amelia of Portugal, who is this respect, follows the example of her mother, the wife of the Comte de Paris, and the Queen of Italy, are all smokers.

Miss Helen Gladstone, daughter of

Miss Helen Gladstone, daughter of the "Grand Old Man," has given up the principalship of Newnham College, Oxford, which she has held for fifteen years, in order to remain with her father and mother.

queen Victoria, when she leaves Windsor for Balmoral, is provided with about a dozen copies of a sort of way bill of her journey, which contains a list of all the people in the train and the compartments in which they are. Though Mrs. McKinley is an invalid Though Mrs. Ackning is an invalidation the state of her health is not such as to prevent her from taking the prominent, but not laborious, part in Washington's social life that naturally falls to the President's wife. She has endured very well the excitement of the last few months.

last few months.

The family of Mrs. Mary Ragland, a widow of eighty-three, living near Port Gibson, Miss., objected to her marriage with L. H. Lyman, a neighboring farmer of seventy, who had courted her for two years, so the lovers eloped and were united in matrimony at the courthouse by a supervisor.

Mrs. Hicks-Lord has been outdone in post-mortem generosity to servants by the late Mme. Brasseaux. of Parls. This eccentric lady, a widow, used to give a dance once a week to the five pretty maids who attended her, and by her will she left about \$400,000 to be divided among them and among some of the guests who frequented the parties.

of the guests who frequented the parties. [New York Sun:] The French have a way of making even an inferior quality of table linen look well without the aid of table linen look well without the ald of starch. When the napkins are washed and dried and ready to be ironed they are dipped into boiling water and partially wrung out between cloths. They are then rapidly ironed with as hot a flatiron as possible without burning them. Treated in this manner they become beautifully glossy and stiff.

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LEGISLATIVE MERCENARIES.

The Duckworth steal, which is abou

as fragrant as a rotten mackerel on a

every day or two at Sacramento. It

Irishman was tried and acquitted by a

jury for stealing and slaughtering a

ouldn't wondher at it, Mrs. McGuffin

afther the illigant spache that Coun

sellor O'Brien made," said one of the

widow's friends. "Spache, it it? Divil

a ting the spache had to do wid it.

There was twelve b'ys on that jury

and ivery wan of thim b'ys had some

That is just about the way that Mr.

Duckworth, instead of being expelled

from his clerkship and branded as an

infamous person, was allowed to retain

his clerkship. The chaplain of the

Assembly, in opening the morning's de-

iberations with a supplication to the

Throne of Grace, should begin by say-

ing, "Let us prey." In a general way

the amendment would be accepted as

being eminently correct and proper

The conservative old San Francisco

"The expected has occurred in the case of Chief Clerk Duckworth, pay-

roll stuffer and political debt-payer to

the honorable members of the Legisla

ture. His offense lay in a too-willing obedience in serving his masters. Ninety per cent. of that fraudulent pay

roll was the direct result of their re

quests, 'entreaties and, finally, de-mands. The investigation, had it been

Any party is injured by the affilia-

tion of such creatures as Duckworth

or the Assemblymen who voted for him

relatives to offices not contemplated by

the payment of those stuffed pay rolls

branded as accomplices in a steal, and

therefore as bad as the principal cul-

prit. No fear that they will ever again

impart coloric to a legislative seat.

It is simply outrageous to think that

such men could be nominated and

There is no party that could afford

to elect any such men or even nomin-

ate them hereafter. Any party that

affords them shelter must face the

chances of defeat, not only two years

hence, but even ten. They will go

scurity they have so richly deserved.

PARK AND ROAD FUND.

and hence of individual benefit.

THE TIMES the sum of \$220.

SUBSCRIBED YESTERDAY

of dollars in having the people of West-

ern New York taught how to make

Edam and Schleswig cheese, which

was no trade fraud, because the prod-

uct, while it may not have been equal

to the imported article, was at least

good and wholesome cheese. No sooner

do articles of this sort gain a foothold

abroad than some oleomargarine sharper comes along and turns out

some villainous compound to bring

them into undeserved discredit. It is

President-elect McKinley is somewhat 'under the weather," as a result of the

strain to which he has been subjected

during the past few months. Mai.

elected.

searching, would have painted many the Duckworth hue."

News Letter says on this subject:

of the pig!"

pig belonging to a widow.

reminds one of the story in which an

moonlight night, will "bob up serenely"

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BAD ROADS AND IDLE MEN.

The much talk that has been indulged in regarding a method of providing work for the destitute unem ployed in the city has not yet materialized into anything definite. are thousands of benevolently-disposed citizens in Los Angeles who are ready to lend financial assistance to any practical scheme that may be devised, but such a scheme has not yet been forth-

It has been suggested that these men should be put to work on the new park. The first thing to do, however, be to provide a convenient method of reaching the park site, in the shape of a first-class macadamized road. Parks are luxuries, while roads are necessities. For a city which invites health and pleasure-seekers from all over the world, Los Angeles is deplorably behindhand in the matter of public roads. There should be at least half a dozen good, hard highways leading from this city to outside points within the county, such as Glendale, Pasadena, Alhambra, San Gabriel, Downey, San Pedro and Santa Monica, The present dirt roads are not only inadequate, being dusty in summer and muddy in winter, but they are very expensive, as they have to be constantly renewed. The proper material need to be constantly sprinkled, thus saving a large amount of money. There are millions of tons of rock available within a few miles of this city. There are hundreds of idle men here awaiting employment, and willing to work at a low rate of wages. Why not haul in some of this rock, establish one or more rock piles, and set the men to

There are several classes of citzens who are specially interested in such an enterprise and who might be expected to contribute liberally. First, there are wheelmen; secondly, the liverymen; thirdly, the owners of land along the roads. Then the city would doubtless contribute something toward the carrying out of such work within the city limits, while the Supervisors might turn into such a fund a portion of the road tax that is now expended in a most unsatisfactory manner. Any money received from the county funds could be utilized for the hire of neces-

specially interested, every citizen of take an interest in such a definite system of road improvement, and then, in addition, there is the large class of benevolent citizens who, as above stated, are willing to contribute of their means to assist the unemployed soon as a practical scheme is adopted.

sary teams.

ments, it should be possible to start such an enterprise going. If anything done at once. Neither talk nor newspaper discussion will improve bad roads or employ idle men.

Reports from the Bradley-Martin ball say that one of he lady guests the room in a sedan-chair. That is an improvement upon Gotham- | too bad. ite methods in general. Some of these would-be aristocracy broke into the Four Hundred with a "jimmy."

New Jersey, which has better roads than any other State in the Union, proposes to spend \$1,000,000 during the coming year to make her roads still from now until inauguration day, and electrizing of its road to Pasadena This is the kind of enterprise that builds up a State. should take it, refusing all callers.

OUR MODERN ROBESPIERRES.

The conservative press of the country has had a long labor in trying to teach the laboring classes and the wage-working element that their worst enemy is the professional agitator, whose sole motive is to ride into office on their backs. He goes about the country just before election, telling the farmers how the capitalists and bankers are oppressing them; and then he returns to the city to sell out the labor vote as a large-sized "piece club" to whichever candidate will pay the

most money for it.

The city of Leadville, in Colorado, has just gone through a long period of strikes, in which industry of every description was paralyzed and old "California Gulch" looked quieter than it vas before ever the first vein of ar gentiferous galena was opened at that place. The Herald-Democrat thus voices its opinion of the men who precipitate such strikes upon the community:

"Then there is the labor agitator generally a loud-voiced, boister He is generally a loud-voiced, bosser-ous fellow, who sees the cloven foot of corporations and capital in every movement, no matter what its char-acter. He is the walking delegate in New York, Chicago and Boston, the New York, Chicago and Boston, the inflated person who stalks abroad and with a commanding wave of his delicate white hand paralyzes the ambi-tion of enterprise and sends the work-ers to enforced idleness. He is the autocrat who stamps his iron heel and weeps imaginary tears of pain over the ill-conditioned lot of the wage-earners while often he secretly interviews the master or the contractor and graciously permits his dupes to return to worl for so much per verbal stipulation paid in good the employer. He dines of the expense and sups luxuriously at the expense of his fellows. When they are compared with meager farms paid in good government money by the employer. He dines off the best of his fellows. When they are com-pelled to be satisfied with meager fare his smug visage wears a contented and happy look behind a choice Havana."

That is just about the size of it, and states the question as plainly and neatly as the English language can possibly convey it. The labor agitator is an enemy to good order and social prosperity and never loses a chance to sustain his reputation as an all-around public pest. He wants agitation when everybody else wants peace. Commenting upon this class of men, the Sacramento Bee fitly says:

"There is present in all the troubles employed men, for starving women and children, so long as they can pos in the full glare of public notoriety to the working classes than all the schemes of grinding capitalists. Labor has not been injured any more by grasping syndicates than it has by its

This is precisely the ground taken by THE TIMES upon this question, in return for which it has been boycotted and the good Lord alone knows what else. But it has gone along peacefully as was possible under the circumstances and never looked to right upon an agreement to appoint their or left. Conscious in its knowledge of the right and its advocacy of justice the statutes. The men who voted for it has never once faltered while await ing the dawn of returning reason. will go back to their constituents

All the methods of the agitator are tricky and underhanded, not to say The barrier between the boycotter and the blackmailer is so narrow and ill-defined that it is hard to tell where one begins and the other leaves off. Sensible people are beginning to find that out, and the labor agitator is rapidly sinking to his proper level in the estimation of the truly industrious and sober workmen of the country.

STREET-RAILWAY FRANCHISES.

forth branded as malefactors about There is a bill now pending in the one degree above the bunko man with State Legislature which is of great imhis pocket-book of Confederate bills portance, not, only to street-railway and the burglar with his short-handled companies, but to all who are intercrowbar. Let them pass into the obested in the progress and prosperty of California cities. A delegation of citizens, headed by the Mayor of San The movement to create a fund for to argue against the passage of this the improvement of the parks and bill. The object of the bill is to change streets by giving employment to heads the present law regarding the granting of franchises to street-railway comto earn a living for themselves and panies. The present law permits a new company to utilize the tracks of an those dependent upon them commends itself to all persons of a charitable existing line for five consecutive blocks. upon paying a fair remuneration for disposition, as well as to the more selfthe privilege. Under this law, it is ish, who see in the prosecution of such easy to see that a new company might a work something urgently needed, and of real value to the community, come in and operate a long railway system without building much track. by running for five blocks over an Let every one who can afford it send in a subscription. There has already been received and acknowledged by existing road, then switching off for a few blocks and running five blocks more. It is true that this would not be good railroad business, because it B. M. Blythe, Downey \$10,00 would be competing over the same ter ritory, but it has happened before, and Much of the distaste prevailing in may happen again, that such fran-Europe against American products chises are applied for by parties who have no real intention of building and grows largely out of trade frauds pracoperating a road, but simply intend to by farmers themselves. The "filled cheese," against which so much hold such a franchise as a club over an existing company, for the purpose legislation was had in the last Coness (and not before it was needed, of extracting money. As THE TIME either,) was at first made on the farms stated some time ago, there is little doubt that the refusal of a South from a quality of milk barely fit to be African syndicate to purchase the fed to hogs. That one practice has street-railway systems of Los Angeles done more to injure the trade in England and France than all other causes was largely due to the fact that under the existing law it is such an easy combined, and has been the direct source of a suspicion now prevalent in thing for a corporation to blackmail existing roads in the manner indicated. Europe against all American dairy products. Horatio Seymour spent thousands

So much for that side of the question. On the other hand, the new law proposes that a railroad company applying for a new franchise shall only be permitted to utilize the tracks of an existing street-car system for five blocks altogether. This is going too far in the opposite direction. Such law would simply have the effect of preventing the ingress to the business center of any new street-railway systems. It is not only the lines in operation that have to be considered, but the franchises that have been plastered

in justice to himself and the people he Other foads, to Glendale, Whittier,

discussed, and there is little doubt that, providing no obstacle is interposed, there will be within a few years electric lines running from Los Angeles to all those places, and to Redondo Alhambra and other points in Los Angeles county, or even beyond. To be come remunerative investments, however, such roads must be able to obtain access to the business center. This they cannot do if they are not permitted to utilize more than five blocks in all of another street-railway system. The bill referred to should be modified, so as to strike a

fair medium between the existing law

and the one proposed. There are other undesirable feature about the existing law regarding the granting of franchises to street railroad companies, and it would be well if they could be changed. It should be made more difficult, on the one hand, for new companies to obtain franchises over parallel routes of existing lines, and on the other hand it should not be so easy for existing com panies to acquire franchises for lines which they do not intend to construct in order to keep out competition. In some eastern cities the city governmen exercises the power of deciding whether an application for a franchise is in the interest of the public or not, then granting or refusing it as they may Under such a system, with careful investigation of the rights of the case, no such flagrant instance of "freeze-out" competition would have been permitted as that of the paralleling of the lines of the old cable com pany by the electric system, which gave Los Angeles a black eye among Chicago investors that will not be for gotten for many a year.

A Pennsylvania judge has sentenced to the penitentiary, for a term of ten years, the defaulting cashier of the Lebanon bank; and, while it is some what unusual for defaulting bank officials to be punished in any of the States, yet the sum embezzled \$100,000, so large that somebody must be a sore sufferer by the defalcation The law should be amended so as to make the imprisonment five years for any sum of \$5000 or less, with one year additional for each additional \$1000 stolen up to \$25,000; and a life sentence for any sum in excess of \$25,000. The temptation is so strong for bank officials to use other people's money in speculations on wheat, pork and other articles outside of the stock market that only some law like that will put a short stop to embezzle

The Eternal City is not only the nome of "the father, the Pope," but it also seems, of late, to have become the home of "my uncle, the pawnbroker. The official returns of the city govern ment show that, despite the large amounts of money annually expended there by tourists from all parts of the world, there is a steady decline in civic rosperity. The tax collector reports that there are 60,000 families unable to pay taxes on their personal property; and the number of pledges in the pawnbrokers' shops has reached 997,-000, on which the yearly interest amounts to 14,000,000 lire, equal to \$2,800,000 of our money. At this rate it is not to be wondered at that Italy should annually turn out enough brigands to steal the whole world poor.

American tin-plate manufacturers are now able to supply the entire home consumption of that commodity and are practically doing so. This great industry, furnishing employment to between 20,000 and 30,000 men, was created by the McKinley tariff. firmly has it become established that the McKinley rate of 2.2 cents per pound is no longer needed, and a duty of 1.5 cents per pound has been decided upon by the Ways and Means Committee This rate is only .3 of a cent higher Francisco, recently visited Sacramento than the duty imposed by the present law. Prices of tin plates have been reduced since 1890, when the McKinley law was enacted, from \$5.17 per for Bessemer I. C., 14x20, to \$3.35. This is one of the many beneficent re

sults of "McKinley protection." The fact that the Russian govern ment experts have reported favorably upon the Harveyized nickel steel made by the Bethlehem Iron Company for the Russian battleship Rostivlov, is a most satisfactory report to all who are interested in the advancement American manufactures. The tested plate was one representing 1500 tons of the steel referred to, and its satisfactory test has led up to an order for two propeller shafts to be used on another new Russian vessel. In addition to these the same concern has received a contract from the Japanese government for the shafts and engine forgings for two new cruisers in process of construction near Hiogo.

The trip to Nevada from Los Angeles, to witness the now world-famous between Pompadour Jeems an Emaciated Robert, will be a somewhat costly one by the time the average admirer of "the manly art" gets back home. And that is not the main trouble, either. The boys that put on the gloves in our local gymnasiums are not minding the expense so much as they are afraid of a foul that will prematurely terminate the encounter The decision of Mr. White Yurrup (as one of the lawyers in the replevin suit called him) in the Sharkey-Fitzsim mons case has made some of our ama teur fisticuffers just a little bit cau-

Mr. Dana once alluded to a certain distinguished gentleman who is about to vacate his residence in favor of party named McKinley, as a "stuffed

present has now become the past, and retrospection lends no vista of enchantment. In concluding his article the Senator says: "The Democratic party cannot now consent to become the asylum for all the demagogues and charlatans in the country who, while ostentatiously proclaiming their desire o subserve the public good, are really furthering schemes of ambition or pri-vate gain or endeavoring to undermine the government and to pull down the pillars of society." If he had talked tween July and October, the people night have had some regard for him Just now there seems to be very little future for the Democratic party and still less for Senator Hill.

The admission of litah into the Union now makes the presence of a quorum of the Senate. Sixty years ago that number was equal to the en tire membership on that floor. No other little circumstance shows more accurately the growth and expansion of the great world's grandest republic

Observing people might find food for reflection in the fact that the Sugar Trust, which figured so prominently in Congress, is now figuring in the courts with an equal degree of prominence If the pathway of justice be not im peded by corruption, one of these conditions must inevitably lead up to the other.

The Carlists in Spain are said to be etter organized than ever before, and ready to take advantage of any crisis that may occur in the affairs of the Between enemies nome and in Cuba the Spanish government is in a rather tight place:

The Bradley-Martin ball may have been a foolish affair, but the interminable gabble about it is infinitely more foolish. Give us a rest.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. Flower Girl of Paris" was given by Fanny Rice and her company at this theater last night to a fair audience. The piece is a new one in the repertoire f the winsome Fanny, and while it ontains the making of a pretty little omedy, much dialogue will have to be eliminated and more music included be fore all the possibilities of the play are complished.

The romantic element is well brought The romantic element is well brought out, and in costuming it is beyond anything Miss Rice has yet attempted. There are a number of catchy musical numbers scattered throughout the action, but there is also much prosy talk and a lack of action which, as the play stands at present, will prevent its becoming a popular success. Miss Rice has a congenial role as the pert and piquant flower girl, and she is afforded a chance to make a number of handsome stage pictures in the short gown and clattering sabots of the flower girl and in the sweeping train of the marand clattering sabots of the flower girl and in the sweeping train of the marchioness, to-be. Mr. Drew as Francois the baker, and the homely lover of Nanon was delightfully amusing and Miss Michelena did some charming singing with 'that rich, warm soprano which so pleased the audiences of the "French Ball." Miss Gaillard appears to excellent advantage as Theresa, and the Chevallier of John S. Terry was made a feature by his sweet singing. Francis Gaillard does a bit of good acting as the senile roue Baron Toulate, and the company throughout is superior to its opportunities.

and the company throughout is superior to its opportunities.

The next attraction at this house is the renowned "Chimmy Fadden," with his wealth of East-side slang, and the other people of Ned Townsend's famous book

BURBANK THEATER. The house will hold a joily crowd tonight. The members of Co. A, Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., will enjoy a benefit and this will be a military night. The boxes and loges have been reserved for the officers of the regiment and the orchestra for the company. From Passden omcers of the regiment and the orches-tra for the company. From Pasadena. Co. I sends forty-five men and their ladies, who have secured seats in the center of the house. A regular guard will be mounted in the foyer and the military salute and challenge will be one of the features of the evening. Ex-tra drills and maneuvers on the stage by members of Co. A will add to the military effect of the play.

HAWAIIAN ANNEXATION

BRING IT ABOUT.

Atty.-Gen. Smith, Ex-Minister Thurs-ton and A. S. Hartwell en Route to Washington to Confer with

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17 .- Amon the passengers from Honolulu today on the steamer Australia was Atty. Gen. William O. Smith, who will pro-ceed at once to Washington to confer the conference of the conferen with Minister Hatch on annexation matters. His sudden departure was the outcome of a hurried meeting of the Hawaiian Cabinet after the arrival of the steamer Gaelle, which took to Honolulu important letters for Minister Hatch regarding annexation.

Lorin A. Thurston, formerly Ha walian Minister at Washington, and A. S. Hartwell, another Honolulu annexationist, will accompany Mr. Smith to

"I go to Washington in the sole in-"I go to Washington in the sole interests of annexation," said Atty.-Gen. Smith today. "Cable propositions or any other issue will be relegated to the rear. The Cabinet has deemed it necessary, from the recent advices received from Mr. Hatch, to have a representative of the Hawaiian republic in Washington with power to act, Matters which are of vital importance to these islands will probably come up during the fortnight that I will be in Washington, and the authority is vested in me to act for this government. A great deal of valuable time can be saved in this way. It is closer political union with the United States that I shall work for while in Washington."

The statement that Mr. Smith's visit to Washington is for the purpose of counteracting the influences that ex-Queen Liliuokalani may be exerting is most emphatically denied.

Adjusting Ticket Commission over many streets for the purpose of keeping other companies out.

It is evident that Los Angeles is on the eve of a great development in the building of suburban electric roads.

Already a franchise has been applied for by the Terminal Company for the electrizing of its road to Pasadens.

Other roads, to Glendale, Whittier, Florence and to Long Beach, have been from him on its present, but that the cellular and the rate of commissions to come up to their mark. It is understood that the Southern Pacific and other roads that have been paying high commissions, to come up to their mark. It is understood that the Southern Pacific will do this, and the rate of commissions throughout the territory of the was a time when they wanted to hear from him on its present, but that

BANK ASSESSMENTS.

QUESTION INVOLVED IN AMEND MENTS OF REVENUE LAWS.

National Banks Might Escape All Taxation Under the Present Con-stitutional Provisions.

DOUBLE OWNERSHIP OF STOCKS

NOT BE ASSESSED.

Private Ownership-Constitution Prohibits Double Taxation.

An interesting question is presented in the effort now being made in the Legislature of this State to so amend the revenue laws as to provide for the ment of the property of national

Constitution of the State provider that all property in the State, not ex-empt under the laws of the United States, shall be taxed in proportion to its value. And the word property is de-clared to include moneys, credits, bonds stocks, dues, franchises and all other matters and things, real, personal and mixed, capable of private ownership.

It is necessary, therefore, under the constitutional provisions, to assess all

property which may belong to the bank to it as a corporation. The Constitu-tion is mandatory to this end. Can the by the stockholders? The Constituti of the State has been interpreted by the Supreme Court to prohibit double taxa-tion. If the property belonging to the corporation be assessed, can the corporate stock be also assessed? It would seem not. Congress has conferred the right to assess the stock of national banks to the holders thereof, but the State Constitution apparently prohibits this. And the Legislature of the State, in the session of 1881, incorporated a new section in the Political Code, expressly excepting all shares of stock in corporations from assessment, on the ground that to assess such shares and the property of the corporation to would be double taxation. It is interesting to note in this connection, that, only such interests in the property of national banks can be subjected to taxation as Congress shall first, in express terms, authorize. Congress has authorized the taxation of the real estate belonging to the bank and the shares of State Constitution apparently prohibits this. And the Legislature of the State, longing to the bank and the shares of stock held by the stockholders. But the Constitution of the State and the statutes enacted in pursuance of it prohibit the taxation of the shares of stock. And as Congress has not authorized the assessment of moneys on deposit or the solvent credits of a national bank, these cannot be assessed. So it would seem that between the legislation enacted by Congress and that by the State, the national banks have an excellent chance of escaping taxation altogether.

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The Supreme Court of the State has just decided that the moneys and solvent credits are not taxable. Upon the facts out of which arose the case of McHenry vs. Downer, recently decided by the State Supreme Court, C. C. Wright, now of this city but then residing and practicing his profession at Modesto, gave an interesting opinion on this subject, which was sustained by the Supreme Court.

Following is the substance of the opinion:

pinion: Are solvent credits and money on de-losit at the First National Bank sub-ect to taxation? Section 5218, Revised Statutes of the

Section 5218, Revised Statutes of the United States, plainly confers on the State the power to assess to the individual holders of shares in the bank; it also confers power to assess the real estate belonging to the bank. The power to assess must, of course, be exercised in accordance with the Constitution and legislative enactments of the State.

the State.

But the power to make such assessment must be conferred by Congress or it does not exist. So the power to assess any property belonging to a national bank must be expressly authorized by act of Congress. Section 5219, Revised Statutes, does not authorize the taxatien of any property belonging to a national bank, other than its real estate. The shares of stock are to be assessed to the individual owners. The section of the United States statutes above cited provided that the Legislature of each State may determine and direct the manner and place of taxing all the shares of national banking associations located within the State, etc. The only response made by the Legislature of this State to the authority thus conferred is that found in section 3608 of the Political Code of this State, wherein it is provided that "all property belonging to corporations shall be assessed and taxed, but no assessments shall be made of shares of stock, nor shall any holder thereof be taxed therefor." The language of this section is general and applied by its terms equally to all corporations. The language used is: "No assessment shall be made of shares of stock, nor shall any holder thereof be taxed therefor." It will thus be seen that instead of making provision for the assessment of shares of national bank stock the Legislature of the State has in express terms prohibited the assessment of all classes of corporate stock.

Recurring to the power of State agencies to assess the property of national banks other than shares of stock I have already foreshadowed the inevitable answer. The leading case on this subject is the case entitled McCullough vs. the State of Maryland. In that case the United States Supreme Court, speaking through Chief Justic Marshall, said: "If we apply the principle for which the State of Maryland contends (the power to tax national banks) to the Constitution generally, we shall find it capable of changing totally the character of that instrument. We shall find it capable of contends the supremacy i

void."

The same doctrine has been continuously maintained from the time the above decision was rendered until the present time. It has been over seventy years since the case last quoted from was decided.

In a case decided on the 4th of January, 1882, the United States Supreme Court passed upon the precise question presented here. In that case the court said: "The single question in this case

is, whether the personal assets and personal property of an insolvent bank in the hands of a receiver appointed by the Comptroller of the Currency are exempt from taxation under State laws; and we have no hesitation in saying that in our opinion they are not such property and assets and in legal contemplation still belong to the bank, though in the hands of a receiver, to be administered under the law. The bank did not cease to exist on the appointment of the receiver, its corporate capacity continues until its affairs are finally wound up, and its assets distributed. If the shares have any taxable value they are taxable in the hands of the holders or owners, but the property held by the receiver is exempt to the same extent it was before his appointment."

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From these decisions it seems clear to me that solvent credits and money on deposit are not assessable against a national bank, and if it be conceded that section 3808 of the Political Code be valid, neither are shares of stock in a national bank, or in any other corporation, assessable. The real estate may be assessed at least so far as the general authority conferred by section 5119 of the Revised Statutes is concerned. The authority conferred on the States by the statutes, it may be, should be expressly acted on by the Legislature of the State, providing the manner in which such assessments should be made, but inasmuch as the authority of the State to assess the real estate of national banks is not questioned, a decision of this question is not necessary.

RANK ABUSE OF POWER.

HIGH-HANDED CONDUCT OF KANSAS POPULISTS.

They Ride Roughshod Over the Re-publican Minority in the Legis-lature and Pass Bills Without Knowing the Contents.

TOPEKA (Kan.,) Feb. 17 .- The exciting times experienced in the House in 1893, when the Populist minority re-sisted the rule of the Republican ma-jority, was paralleled at today's session of that body when the Populists over-

rode the Republicans roughshod.
At the opening of the session Charles
Trueblood's resolution to appoint a
committee to revise the calendar was brought up for action. Speaker-protem. Wellep gave the Republicans no-tice at the start that the majority would brook no obstruction from the Republicans. He would rule, he said, that the calendar could be revised by

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the vote of a bare majority.
Cubbison (Rep.) protested that such
action would require a two-thirds vote
of the House, and Lambert said the
courts would decide as illegal any bills
which the Populists might pass in the
manner indicated.
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Lambert demanded a roll call upon the appointment of the committee to revise, but the question was ignored by Speaker-pro-tem. Weller, who put the question by a viva voce vote. Imme-diately the Republicans were in an up-

diately the Republicans were in an uproar demanding recognition and repeatedly calling for a roll call.

Wellep threatened them with the sergeant-at-arms, but without avail, and then finally called up the first bill on the calendar.

Amid increasing excitement, during which the Republicans mounted chairs and wildly gesticulated in an effort to gain a hearing, the clerk went through the formality of calling the roll on the first bill. Wellep stood unmoved and the clerk having finished the roll call, declared the bill passed. So great was the hubbub no one even knew the name of the bill. Unmoved, the Speaker protem. ordered the reading of a second bill.

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At this some of the Populists added a protest to that of the Republicans, and cries of "Constitution!" and "Rev-olutionary!" were heard. All claims of

carried.

During the recess both sides of the House held caucuses and the Republicans decided to stand solid for their demand for roll call. Senator-elect Harris worked with the Populists to show them that Wellep's ruling was wrong and that the minority did have the right to ask for a roll call. When the House reconvened there was no more disturbance, the clerk proceeding with the roll call, thus admitting the contention of the minority.

DUESTROW'S BRAIN

An Examination Shows That it Was

ST. LOUS, Feb. 17.—Owing to the great difference of opinion as to the condition of mind of the late Dr. Arthur Duestrow, the murderer of his wife and child, who was hanged at Union yesterday, a post-morten examination of his brain was made today by a number of specialists. Dr. Lewis G. Tandy had charge of the operation of laying bare the brain. He was assisted by Dr. A. H. Schott, the family physician of the Duestrows, and a number of other physicians, who had testified at the legal investigation into the murderer's sanity, were present.

The examination, which was but a cursory one, resulted in a conviction among the physicians that Duestrow's brain was in an abnormal condition. A careful microscopic examination will follow, and the results as they appear will be given to the public. Union yesterday, a post-morten exami-

GEN. SHELBY'S OBESQUIES

The Most Imposing Funeral Ever

The Most Imposing Funeral Ever
Seen at Kansas City.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 17.—The remains of the late Gen. Jo O. Shelby
were laid to rest at Forest Hill Cemetery today, with services befitting his
station. The funeral was the most imnosing ever held here. Services were station. The funeral was the most imposing ever held here. Services were held at the Third Regiment Armory. The main part of the armory was reserved for veterans of both armies, who were 2000 strong. Gov. Lon V. Stephens and staff and many officers occupied prominent places. The casket was embedded in a mass of palms and flowers. A sermon was preached by Rev. S. M. Neel, pastor, and there was an address by Judge John F. Phillips of the United States Circuit Court, a lifetime friend of the deceased. The streets through which the cortege passed were packed with people.

SHOT ON HIS DOORSTEP.

A Politician Wounded While Watch-ing Victors Parade. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17.—Assemblyman R. Lincoln Roberts, a well-known local politician, who has taken an active part in the campaign, while standing on the steps of his home, shortly after midnight, watching the parade of the victorious faction in yesterday's election, was shot in the thigh and dangerously wounded. William Reed, a political enemy of Roberts, was arrested on suspicion. The paraders were very noisy, and when they neared Roberts's residence, a crowd gathered on the doorstep. Suddenly there was a revolver shot, followed by several others. Roberts fell fainting on the marble steps. He is in a serious condition from loss of blood, but probably will recover.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Peb. 17.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.04; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 55 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 84 per cent.; 5 p.m., 82 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 57 deg.; minimum temperature, 48 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours. .06 inch; rainfall for soason, 11.48 inches. Character of weather, cloudy.

The Gimes

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Builders of the proposed Ramons road in San Diego county find that in order to get stock subscriptions they must incorporate under Arizona laws rather than under laws in this State, because the former laws are less rigor-ous concerning stockholders' liabilities.

Pasadena's orange-growers would do well to wake up and take a hand in the effort to secure from Congress protec-tion for the citrus industry. This is a matter of importance to every shipper of oranges in Southern California and Pasadena makes quite a respectable contribution to the annual output.

An Orange county justice, who does not seem to be animated by a thrifty desire to get his hands into the county treasury after the manner of too many of the tribe of Dogberry, has sent a gang of tramps to jail for thirty days. Usually the country justices and constables work the fee scheme on tramps in five-day shifts, a system that is profitable to the officers, and not obnoxious to the tramps. Thirty days at heard laborate a different proposition. hard labor is a different proposition.

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The Theosophists have discovered that in ages gone by a "high civiliza-tion flourished in America." and that Point Loma was the site of a temple wherein were enacted occult monkey-shines that would have made a high priest of Babylon green with envy-They found all these interesting things in "occult records," whatever those may have the bad luck to be, and they also discovered that the Mahatmas and Yogi and Buddhistic spooks have pro-tected Point Loma from desecration for ages.

There is some talk among the farmers along a certain portion of the Santa Ana River in Orange county of form-ing a protection district for the purpose of providing needed protection from the overflow of the river. It is proposed to organize under the State law giving to residents of localities the right to so organize and to impose taxes for the proposed improvement for the general public. The locality to be protected is the section of country near Garden Grove, and it is proposed to place such protection as is necessary at or near the Olive bridge to prevent further overflows at that place.

THE NEW BOARD

Holds Its First Meeting in the Cham-

ber of Commerce.
Fourteen members of the new board of directors of the Chamber of Com-

of directors of the Chamber of Commerce met yesterday afternoon for the first time in its existence as a board, President Forman occupying the chair. The Los Angeles Engraving Company was elected to membership.

The committee appointed to confer with the Council in the matter of securing employment for people needing work, now in this city, reported that their proposition was under consideration in the Council and would be acted on in a day or two. The committee was granted further time.

A communication was read from the National Association of Agricultural Implement Manufacturers, asking the chamber to pass resolutions advocating the placing of the consular service of the United States under civil-service rules. The matter was referred to the Committee on Law and Legislation.

A communication was read from J. M. Crawley, who is now in Paris, assuring the chamber of his continued good will, and offering to do anything in his power to disseminate information about his country in Europe.

The remainder of the meeting was devoted to the transaction of routine business relative to the affairs of the chamber.

ENGINEERS AND ARCHITECTS.

AND ARCHITECTS. Annual Meeting of the Association

Annual Meeting of the Association Held Last Evening.

Daniel D. Halladay read an interesting and exhaustive paper upon the present engineering conditions in Guatemala and Honduras at the annual meeting of the Engineers' and Archetects' Association, held last evening in the Association Hall in the Wilcox Block. Mr. Halladay was formerly the assistant engineer of the Guatemala Northern Railway, and his paper was weighty with the knowledge borne of actual experience.

President Octavius Morgan opened the meeting with a review of the work accomplished by the association during the past year. E. L. Swaine, the incoming president, then outlined the work to be done through the coming year. Mr. Halladay's paper came next, and was followed by the report of the secretary, Frank H. Olmsted.

The officers for the ensuing year are: E. L. Swaine, president; Fred Eaton, first vice-president; F. H. Olmsted, secretary. The directors are: J. A. Walls, S. P. Hunt, H. Hawgood and W. H. Warren.

Thanks to Bishop Newman.

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The following resolutions were passed by the Los Angeles Ministerial Union relative to the address delivered by Bishop Newman before that body, at its recent meeting:

"Resolved, that we have listened with great pleasure and profit to the profound, important and spiritual address of Rev. John P. Newman, D.D., LL.D., one of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and that the thanks of this body are due and are hereby tendered to him for the courtesy with which he has favored us.

"Resolved, that copies of these resolutions be sent to the city papers; also, a copy to Mrs. J. P. Newman, the honored wife of the distinguished bishop."

Albert E. Fletcher Recovering. A few days ago The Times reprinted from a Milwaukee paper the account of an accident to Albert E. Fletcher and his wife in that city during the first week in February, when an electric car ran into the hack in which they were riding. Subsequent information shows that Mr. Fletcher's injuries were more serious than at first reported. He went to his place of business the first day after the accident, but in a few hours he had to succumb to the orders of physicians and friends. One week after he was enabled to attend to business, though he is still suffering great pain. A few days ago The Times reprinted

THREE GOLD MEDALS

AWARDED TO EXHIBITORS OF CITRUS FRUIT.

Angeles Chamber of Commerce Citrus Exhibit to Be Held Next Week-Special Inducements Of-fered to Districts not Well

Three gold medals are to be awarded to the fortunate exhibitors of the three best boxes of Washington navels, lemons and oranges of any variety other than Washington navels shown to the Gold Medal Citrus Exhibit which will open at the Chamber of Commerce February 23, and continue for five days.

This exhibit is open to all Southern California growers of citrus fruit, and is designed especially to bring into prominence districts not familiarly known to the general public. Heretofore the gold medal of the Chamber of Commerce Citrus Exhibits has been Commerce Citrus Exhibits has been awarded either to Ontario, Highland, Redlands or Riverside. The managers of the present exhibit wish to give the



less prominent districts the chance to gain a gold medal and the fame that goes with it.

The exhibit will be held in the exhibit room of the Chamber of Commerce, Broadway and Fourth streets, and will be free to all visitors, no admission fee being charged at the door. Three competent judges will be selected by the committee, which includes E. F. C. Klokke, J. S. Slauson and Frank Wiggins. No judge may be a competitor. The exhibit is free to the exhibitors, as well as the public, as all fruit for the display will be trans-



ported by the railroad companies free of charge, and will be received and placed in position without any expense to the exhibitor.

According to the rules of the exhibit, one box of each variety may be entered by each individual grower. No entry fee will be charged, but all fruit entered becomes the property of the Chamber of Commerce. Entries may be made up to and including February 23. Particular attention is paid to packing, it being the order of the committee that each box must be commercially packed, California or Messina style, and that all paper wrappers must be perfectly plain; but colored paper may be used. No brand or mark of any description will be allowed on or within the box. A perfect pack entitles the grower to a credit of ten points, so it is well worth striving for. The only mark allowed is the exhibitors name, postoffice address and variety of fruit, which must be plainly written on a card and attached to each box. A record will be made on a numbered diagram prepared by the superintendent, on which will be noted the name and address. The card will be detached and a number placed theron instead, so that the judges will have no opportunity of knowing whose fruit they are examining. When the awards are made known, the names will be replaced, and each individual given full credit for his donation.

The California scale for judging citrus fruits adopted by the State Board of Horticulture will be used as far as practicable. Under this scale, fruit larger than three and z quarter inches in diameter, or smaller than two and seven-skyteenths in diameter is subject to discount. A total number of a hundred and ten points will constitute perfection, the extra ten points being added for pack and package.

THE BELGIAN MARKET

Very Favorable for California Dried Fruits.

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In a letter to the Chamber of Commerce Charles J. Murphy, now stationed in Belgium as commissioner for the State of Iowa, and late special representative abroad of the United States Department of Agriculture, states the great demand in European countries for California wines and dried fruits. Mr. Murphy was sent abroad for the purpose of extending the demands and opening up the foreign markets for agricultural and manufactured products of the United States, and he is consequently in a position to speak with authority upon the demand for the products of California.

Mr. Murphy says that, although Belgium occupies but a small space upon the msp of Europe, its importance as a distributing center to the larger countries should not be overlooked. It is within a few hours of Paris, London and Amsterdam, and but little farther from Germany.

After the placing of California wines in the Antwerp Exposition, where they were awarded the gold medal, they have been rapidly growing into popularity, and have commanded a good market. The same may be said of dried fruits, and in a far greater degree. So great is the demand that one firm alone in Belgium has 365 branch stores where California dried fruits are now offered for sale.

In view of this large and increasing market, Mr. Murphy strongly urges that an exhibit be sent from California to the Brussels Exposition in 1897, which he believes will far exceed in importance the coming exposition at Hamburg.

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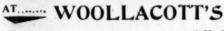
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Board of Public Works Co-operating with the City Engineer in Preparing a Report.

THE SCOTT FRANCHISE CASE

INTERESTING RULING BY SUPERIOR JUDGE CLARK.

Three Damage Suits Progressing Meeting of the Board of Super-visors-Charged with Obtain-ing Money Wrongfully.

At the City Hall yesterday the Fire Commission held its regular session. Commissioner Vetter's absence was no-ticed and commented upon, he having "on the carpet" for offenses reported by the Chief. The City Engineer is work-ing with the Board of Public Works in preparing a recommendation to the Council regarding the construction of a storm-drain system. At the Courthouse yesterday an in-

teresting decision was rendered on a oint in the case of the people, ex rel Knealy, against Scott et al. The three damage suits in Departments Two. Three and Four were on trial, the one in Department Two going to the jury. The Board of Supervisors met and transacted the routine business, a man was held for forgery on a description from Oregon until the northern officers arrived, and a complaint was issued charging a young man with obtaining money under false pretenses.

(AT THE CITY HALL.)

THOSE STORM DRAINS.

CITY ENGINEER PREPARING DAT. FOR THE COUNCIL'S USE.

to Bring the Matter Up as Soon as Possible—Probable Cost of the Work.

City Engineer Dockweiler, under the direction of the Board of Public Works, is preparing data in relation to the building of a storm-drain system, to cost about \$400,000, and to be paid for with money obtained from the sale of bonds issued by the city for the pur-

In The Times of last Saturday it was stated that the Board of Public Work had determined to recommend to the Council that an election be called, when Council that an election be called, when the people might vote on the question of issuing bonds for this purpose. It was not stated that the recommenda-tion would be presented last Monday, although by some it has been assumed

although by some it has been assumed that because the matter was not discussed openly during the Council session on that day the idea had been given up by the Board of Public Works. The assumption was a mistaken one. The board held a lengthy consultation with City Engineer Dockweiler on Monday and as the result of that conference decided to allow the engineer a week in which to collate data on the subject, the data to be used by the board in making its report to the Council on the proposition.

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Since that time Mr. Dockweller has not been idle. He is not incurring any expense in his work to be borne by the city, other than the salaries of his reg-ular office force. a portion of whose

is peculiarly fortunate for the enhis past occupancy of the omce he holds gave him a knowledge of the citys topography, and an acquaintance with the puas for a storm-drain system which were prepared by Fred Eaton during the latter's term of office as City Engineer.

What would be an extensive and expensive piece of work without such an

pensive piece of work without such an acquaintance with the plans and previous work of his predecessor, is made a comparatively light and inexpensive proceeding with such an acquaintance. Mr. Dockweller proposes to make, however, a radical change in part of Eaton's plans for a storm-drain system.

Eaton's plans for a storm-drain system.

Where Eaton contemplated making a detour around the summit of the hill portion of the city, carrying the drains at least two miles away from the direct course to the river, Dockweller proposes cutting a tunnel through Second street, thus effecting a saving in material and labor, and adding immensely to the efficiency of the system.

Dockweller has consulted some of the leading engineers in the city upon the feasibility of this tunnel, and his own views have been concurred in by his associates. A profile of the work is now being made in the City Engineer's office, and illustrates very clearly when seen, the amendment which the City Engineer proposes making to Fred Eaton's former, plans.

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By making this change the estimates prepared by Mr. Eaton can be scaled down a good deal; that is, if \$7,000 is considered a good deal. Mr. Dock-weller calculates that that amount would be saved by carrying out his plan. Fred Eaton estimated that the storm-drain system planned by him would cost the city \$52,000. He divided the city into sections for the purposes of drainage after this fashion, estimating the amount required for each section as follows:

College and Mission streets, \$30,000; Arroyo de los Posos, \$12,000; Hollenbeck Arroyo, \$30,000; Mozart and Workman streets, \$35,000; Second street, \$52,000; Flower and Ninth streets, \$292,400, this being the route which Dockweiler proposes to shorten with his Second-street tunnel; Pico street, \$35,000; Seventh street, \$13,000; total, \$527,000. Mr. Dockweiler is confident that this work, as planned by him, with the cheapness of labor at this time can be done for

get in return won't be permanent. Whereas if we build this storm-drain system we put out our money, get a return from it in the shape of the storm drainw make a permanent improvement and give the unemployed work. The project is not only feasible but admirable, and it seems to me should commend itself to all who consider it even casually."

Street Superintendent Drain confirmed the statement made by the City Engineer as to the \$10.000 spent annually on the streets. He thought the estimate rather low. His force, he declared, had been kept busy since the first of the year repairing the damage done by storm water, which a proper storm-drain system would have obviated almost altogether.

Councilman Blanchard, chairman of the Board of Public Works, is intent upon having the Council call an election for the purpose of issuing bonds, and believes that the time is ripe for such an improvement to be made, considering that the growth of the city and its consequent greater area of graded streets renders it imperative that a

sidering that the growth of the city and its consequent greater area of graded streets renders it imperative that a storm-drain system be constructed at this time or as soon as possible. The fact that the unemployed would benefit greatly by the carrying out of the enterprise, Councilman Blanchard considers an additional reason why the matter shrould be pushed forward at this time.

Councilman Ashman

Councilman Ashman, a member of the board, agrees heartily with Mr. Blanchard and believes the bonds would Mathuss, the third member of the board, is disposed to be non-committal in the matter, but will hardly fail of giv-

board, is disposed to be non-committal in the matter, but will hardly fall of giving his support to the board when it presents its report to the Council.

Mayor Snyder indorses the board's action, declaring that the sooner the bonds could be issued and the stormdrain system constructed, the better for the city and the people in it.

"I am on record," said the Mayor, "as favoring this and hope to see the Council bring it to pass. The people should have a chance to vote on the question, and I have not a particle of doubt as to what their verdict would be. Let the Board of Public Works' report in the matter be adopted, provided its provisions are wise and in line with what is now understood to be their ideas, and then let the election be held at once, the bonds voted, the storm-drain system built, the city permanently improved, the poor helped, and the question of good streets in Los Angeles settled for many years to come."

FIREMEN ON THE CARPET. Heavy Fine Imposed on a Derellet

Captain. There was a notable vacancy in the Board of Fire Commissioners at its neeting yesterday morning, when, for the first time, in several years, Com missioner Vetter's seat was emp Mr. Vetter resigned his office last Mo day, for reasons which have been given before, these being bound in his con nection with the recently-organized Home Telephone Company. There been very few meetings of the Commission at which Mr. Vetter

Fire Commission at which Mr. Vetter was not present.

There was no formal action taken yesterday by the Commission, relative to Mr. Vetter's absence, but remarks anent his past work in the board were made by the Commissioners, who united in extolling his zeal while a member of the board.

Chief Moore in his weekly report yesterday preferred charges against two firemen whose cases were considered by the board.

Because he failed to report to Assistant Chief Smith at a recent fire, James Johnson, captain of Chemical Company No. 1, was fined \$20 by the board. not present.

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In addition to the fine, Chief Moore was directed to reprimand the fireman, and notify him that a repitition of the offense would result in his discharge from the department.

Johnson on the 14th inst., responded to an alarm from box 123, instead of box 15. thus making an error which the Commission usually passes over with a reprimand. But the fireman, in addition to this blunder, refused, or neglected to report at the fire to Assistant Chief Smith, when ordered to do so by the latter. The Commission considered this refusal or neglect to be

do so by the latter. The Commission considered this refusal or neglect to be worthy of se. For rebuke a.r.! imposed the fine and reprimand accordingly.
Johnson was not alone on the carpet.
C. G. Anderson, driver of cart No. 2, failed to respond to practice drill on the 14th inst., and was summoned before the Commission yesterday, and reprimanded for his dereliction.
Chief Moore asked for, and was granted more time in which to handle the case of the Chienese laundry at 781 San Pedro street.
The Chief recommended the plac-

781 San Pedro street.

The Chief recommended the placing of a fire alarm box near the Los Angeles Soap Company's factory, and a fire hydrant in the same vicinity, as

a nre hydran in the same vicinity, as petitioned for by the company. The latter portion of the recommendation was adopted.

City Electrician, Francis's report of work done during the past week was received and ordered filed.

A petition from H. C. Bohrman for permission to erect a carriage factory in the Rowan tract was referred to the Chief.

Applications for appointment as call-

men were received from Stephen Quirolo, G. W. Rushton and W. C. Mills. Applications for appointment as call-

(AT THE COURT HOUSE,

OVER A FRANCHISE.

JUDGE CLARK GIVES A DECISION DENYING THE MOTION.

The Scott Franchise Case-Action in the Nature of a Writ of "Quo Warranto" to Obtain a Judgment Declaring a Franchise Void.

Superior Judge Clark of Department Two filed an opinion in the case of the People ex rel. Kenealy against Scott et al., which is somewhat novel and inter esting. The action is in the nature of a writ of quo warranto, brought by the Attorney-General at the relation of John Kenealy, to obtain a judgment de claring void the Scott electric-lighting franchise granted July 15, 1895, and as-signed to the West Side Lighting Com-pany. Scott's bid was \$107 and free lights for the City Hall. Mr. Spruance streets, \$35,000; Seventh the Condition of the streets and the street states of the street st

geles Lighting Company, but that this should not be constructed as a ruling that the defendants cannot be permitted to show in defense that a judgment excluding them from the exercise of the franchise would work a public injury, and for that reason should not have been made.

injury, and for that reason should not have been made.

The question whether the Council could or the Court can investigate and adjudicate that the Spraunce bid was not made bona fide, and whether the Council could take into consideration the offer to furnish lights for the City Hall, Judge Clark holds are all ques-tions of importance raised by the plead-

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"But, he concludes, "if the purpose of the counsel was to bring them before the court by the offer of proof on the motion for a continuance, that purpose has not been attained. The objections to the offer as made are sustained. The case will, upon stipulation or motion, be set for trial."

DAMAGES WANTED.

The Daneri Suit, the Welsh Suit, and the Spreckens Suit.

The Daneri suit for \$6000 damages vay Company was on trial again yesterday before Judge Van Dyke and a jury in Department Four. The prosecution produced a number of witnesses who lived on property adjacent to that over which the litigation was ught. The principal trend of the imony was that the land in questiwas, before December, 1889, worth the way from \$100 to \$125 per acre. that it was at the present time the paratively valueless, some of the nesses stating its value at from \$10 kg5 per acre.

\$35 per acre. The evidence further showed that the operty in question was covered with the, rich soil prior to the flood, and at grains and fruits could be raised that grains and fruits could be raised thereon in abundance, while now, it is noted for its lack of fertility alone. Furthermore, the witnesses stated that even if the fertility of the soil would admit of the planting and raising of cereals, etc., the water covered the land every time the rain was of three or four days duration, and did not subside until it was too late in the spring to plant anything. There was also a layer of sand invariably deposited by the water, varying in depth from six inches to three and a half feet.

the damage suit for \$20,000 brought or a foot and other injuries, which was on trial before Judge York and a jury yesterday in Department Three, the defense employed the day in an endeavor to prove negligence on the part of the street railway employés. The motorman who was in charge of the car which it is supposed caused the accident, testified to having seen the man lying by the track only ten feet in front of the car. He stopped the car as soon as he could, and when he went back to where the man lay, found him unconscious. The defense placed a discharged or former employé of the company on the stand, and endeavored to prove that the motorman was negligent in not stopping the car was negligent in not stopping the car sooner than he did. The damage suit for \$5500 in which

M. J. Speckens was the plaintiff, and Joseph H. Steck the defendant, was argued and submitted to the jury before Judge Clark in Department Two yesterday. The jury were out some time and finally rendered a verdict for the defendant.

ONLY TWENTY MINUTES.

eputy Sheriff White Locates a Man

in Short Order. A letter was received by Sheriff Burr uesday evening from Sheriff B. C. igee of Douglass county, Oregon, con erning a man by the name of B. F Hollis, who was wanted in Oregon for forgery. Hollis was indicted December 11, 1894, for forging certain notes for considerable sums of money and was

description, and stated that part of three fingers of his left hand had been taken off by a sloping cut. Hollis formerly worked for the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

Deputy Sheriff Will A. White was sent out to find the man, and thought he had done so before he had been hardly twenty minutes on the trail. White found a man who tallied with the description in the letter. He had applied to the Los Angeles branch of the sewing machine company for work, and soon traced him to his departure last week for Ventura. The facts of the case and the man's description were telephoned to the Sheriff at Ventura, and the officer soon had his man located and under arrest.

Deputy Sheriff White started for Ventura yesterday to bring Holls, if it is he, to Los Angeles, and a telegram to Sheriff Agee of Roseburg was immediately sent.

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An answer was received to the tele-gram stating that Sheriff Agee would obtain the necessary requisition papers and start for this city at once.

NOT QUITE ROYAL.

Wrong Kind of Apricots Get Me-Kenna into Trouble.

Deputy District Attorney James yes-Deputy District Attorney the arrest terday issued a warrant for the arrest terday issued a warrant charged with of James J. McKenna, charged with having obtained money under false pretenses by selling to A. McDonald a lot of 140 apricot trees, which he

represented as being the Royal variety, represented as being the Royal variety, having been budded upon a seedling root It turned out that the trees were not of the Royal brand, and McDonald, having blown in \$5.60 for the lot wants his money back.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION Articles of incorporation were filed yes-terday for the Oro Vista Consolidated Mining and Milling Company, which is organized for the purpose of the general obtaining control of and operating mining and milling enterprises. The capital stock of the company is stated at \$1,200,000, and the amount of stock actually subscribed for is \$900,000. The stock is divided into 1,200,000 shares of the value of \$1 each. The directors are Charles S. Lemon of San Bernardino, William A. McGovern, Clarence H. Ellott, Louis A. Litterer, John B. Galwan, Charles E. Hamilton, John H. Morrissory and Cyrus F. McNutt of Los Angeles, and George W. Lupton of Azusa. The nine directors have subscribed to \$100,000 worth of shares each. organized for the purpose of the gen-

Judge York in Department Three, and was ordered discharged from custody.

BELL NATURALIZED. Judge Shaw examined Wilhert A. Bell. a native of Canada, yesterday in Department Five, and admitted him to citizenship.

MAGGIORA RELEASED. In MAGGIORA RELEASED. In the case of Maggiora vs. Maggiora, the defendant was released from custody by Judge Shaw yesterday. Maggiora's wife procured a divorce recently, and instead of paying the allmony as ordered by the court, Maggiora skipped to Mexico. When he came back he was placed in jall for contempt, and has been there for thirty days, but he has been unable to get any money.

TITLE QUIETED. In the sult to quiet title brought by Tanzola against the City of Los Angeles, Judge Allen rendered a decision yesterday in favor of the plaintiff.

RUBENS VS. ROSE. In the case of Rubens vs. Rose, et al., which came up before Jurge Allien in Department Six yesterday, there was a substitution of counsel for the plaintiff and the case was continued until March 8 at 2 o'clock.

PETITION FOR INSOLVENCY. D. C. McArthur, a boot and shoe merschant, filed a petition of insolvency yesterday, stating his liabilities at \$5539.16, and his assests at \$5100.

SUIT ON A NOTE. M. J. F. Brown ing filed a suit yesterday agains Frederick Stock for a judgment of \$850 due on a promisory note.

FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRA-TION. Harry F. McCullum filed a petition yesterday for letters of ad-ministration to the estate of John G. McCullum, decensed, whose estate is valued at \$30,259, and consists of per-sonal and real estate property, and bank stock.

NOTE AND MORTGAGE. The Security and Loan Trust Company of Southern California have filed a suit against Lavinia E. Tufts, el al., asks for a judgment of \$150, due on a note, and foreclosure of a mortgage securing the same on lot 5, block E, of the Morris Vinyard subdivision.

DECREE OF DIVORCE. Judge Allen granted a decree of divorce yes-terday to Minerva Atkinson from George L. Atkinson, on the ground of failure to providé. Allmony of \$10 per month was also awarded the plain-

PLEADED GUILTY. The men who were arrested in Glendora by Detective Frank Griffiths, for horse-stealing, and taken to Tulare county, recently for trial, have pleaded guilty to the charge in their preliminary expensions.

SUIT TO QUIET TITLE. A suit to quiet title was filed yesterday by Willam A. Knighton and A. M. Hough against Maria S. de Sanchez and Willard H. Clark et al. to quiet title to the lots. In the Sanchez tract on First street, which are now occupied by the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Business Transacted by the Board The Board of Supervisors met yester-

day and transacted the routine business. On motion of Supervisor Wirsching the action of the board in revocation of the saloon license of William Mohring was rescinded. The petition of property-owners for the opening and continuation of Roll

the opening and continuation of Roll street, in the Rowland road district, was taken under advisement. The application of Gustus Allgren for a license to conduct a saloon at Sa Monica Cañon was granted, and

bond applied.

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The letter from Oregon gave Hollis's description, and stated that part of three fingers of his left hand had been taken off by a sloping cut Hellis of the same building for \$275, were both accepted.

The petition in regard to the vacation of Evergreen avenue in the San José road district was granted.

A petition of Will D. Gould that attorneys be authorized to collect all money that has been paid to the clerk in satisfaction of judgments, was referred to the District Attorney for his opinion on the subject.

On motion of Hanley the bid of A. B. Hagan in the sum of \$1888 for grading the Los Angeles and Ventura stage road through Cahuenga Pass was accepted and a bond of \$1000 filed. The work is to be completed within thirty working

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In the matter of the petition for the opening of the Ranchito and El Monte road, B. Sharpless, J. J. McClellan and County Surveyor Wright were appointed as viewers.

On motion of Field the County Clerk was authorized to purchase a new typewriter for his office for the sum of \$100, and the old machine to be turned in at a valuation of \$35, making cost of the new machine \$65.

On motion of Wirsching the resolution dated December 22, 1896, in the matter of the vouchers on claims for expenses incurred by county officers was rescinded.

The application of Mrv. H. S. Wilson.

was rescinded.

The application of Mrr. H. S. Wilson for a license to conduct a hotel in the Farmdale Precinct was approved.

The petition in the matter of the vacation of the streets and avenues and the restoration to the government of subdivisions of the east half of section 32, township 8 north, range 15 west, San Bernardino Meridian, was granted.

The application of Henry Parris for a wholesale liquor license to conduct business in Cahuenga Valley was de-

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LAT THE U. S. BUILDING! JANES TRIED AGAIN.

More Indictments Against the

Non-Partisan. "Capt." J. F. Janes, the alleged editor, whose exceedingly spicy articles in the Non-Partisan have more than once brought him into collision with the United States postal authorities

is again on trial for having sent ob-seene matter through the mails. Two indictments were found against Janes for this offense by the present United States grand jury, and he is now on trial for the first of them. He was indicted by a former grand jury on account of the indecent publicati in his paper, so the present case is by no means a novelty in the United States District Court.

Moreno Declared Guilty.

José Maria Moreno, lately on trial in Judge Wellborn's court, was yesterday declared guilty of having defrauded the government by personating a dead Mexican soldier and so obtaining a pension due the latter during his life

HE BLEW THE TRUMP.

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[New York Sun:] Will A. Couchman, a famous character in Clark county, Kentucky, died recently. He was one of the keenest sportsmen in eastern Kentucky, and his death recalls a memorable incident in one of his hunting trips.

Couchman had been out all day, and after nightfall was tramping back home with two companions. Their way led by a church where there was a revival meeting going on. A powerful exhorter was in charge, and the mourners' bench was crowded. Excitement was running high in the congregation, and people were standing on the benches listening to the shouters. Couchman had forced his way up to the front, when an old woman came up the aisle, clapping her hands and shouting at the top of her voice. When she reached Couchman she threw her arms around his neck, exhorting him to be saved. to be saved.

to be saved.

Couchman was embarrassed, and became a good deal more so, when, in the swaying, she knocked out of his the swaying, she knocked out of his pocket a flask in which there was a little whisky. The old woman was an ardent advocate of temperance, and Mr. Couchman's reputation was well known, so she at once began screaming that he had brought whisky to the meeting to aid the devil in his work. Angered and mortified, Couchman and his friends withdrew from the auditorium. They were unwilling to leave the place altogether, however, as the exhorters were loud and busy. The church had a second story, which could be reached from the outside by a ladder. One of the men proposed that they go up to the loft, and this they did without disturbing the excited throng below. The planks were loosely laid on the floor, and it was easy to see and hear. Several were shouting, and the old woman who had tackled Couchman was particularly active. The

see and hear. Several were shouting, and the old woman who had tackled Couchman was particularly active. The preacher stood at the foot of his pulpit and exhorted all to flee the wrath to come. He was ready to die himself; he was prepared to meet his Maker when the world came to an end. Signs showed that the judgment day was not far off. "Praise the Lord. I am glad of it," he shouted. "I wish it was here now. I wish Gabriel would blow his horn this minute. Oh, Gabriel, we're a-waiting!"

This stiggestion was more than Couchman could stand. He had his hunting-horn with him, and, putting it to his lips, blew two or three loud and sonorous blasts. The mournful noise seemed to the excited preacher and mourners a direct response from above, and a panic followed. Mr. Couchman always maintained that the preacher walked or ran out of the church over the heads of the congregation. It didn't take long to empty the meeting-house, and the woods were filled with fugitives. Some got home and others hid until the next day, expecting every minute to see a rain of fire and brimstone.

The story soon got out, and it caused intense indignation. Couchman was indicted by the grand jury for disturbing public worship. He left the county. It was years before he dared return, and still longer before he was forgiven.

No Lenn Ment.

No Lean Meat.

[New York Journal:] "Dog," said the cannibal king, in his anger tearing up a palm tree and furlously fanning his features with one of the leaves, "what have you today with which to appease my appetite?"

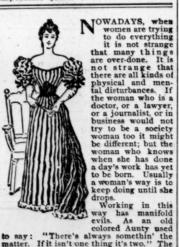
The chef stood silent.

"Speak!" thundered the king. "Have you no tongue, you villainous knave?"

"Sire," answered the chef, cringing as low as good form and his balance would permit. "I have a tongue but the majesty of your imperial presence palsied its powers for the nonce. For meat we have a policeman a la mode."

"Slave!" again thundered his royal nibs, "you may—"

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The chef stood actively engaged in eringing.
"Bring me a small piece of the lean, if you can find any."
With a sad smile the chef left on his impossible quest.



colored Aunty used to say: "There's always somethin' the matter. If it isn't one thing it's two." The most common trouble resulting from over-exertion, either mentally or physically, is constipation of the bowels, with all its attendant horrors.

There is no human ailment that so saps the energies, so deadens the ambitions, as that coming from the bowels forgetting their vocation, or the liver only working about eight hours out of the twenty-four.

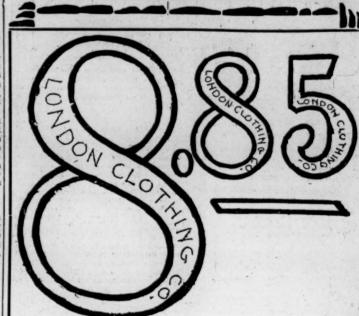
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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the most effectual remedy in the market. They work upon the system easily, naturally. There is no unpleasant nausea after taking them. No griping—no pain—no discomfort. They are composed of materials that go through the system gradually, collecting all impurities and like the good little servants that they are, disposing of them effectually.

Mrs. Rosanna M. Bliss, of Colum. Or

MRS. ROSANNA M. BLISS, of Colous, Obuge County, New York, Says:

"I had suffered much with dizziness sometimes faintness from too much mental work. Over exertion physically caused constipation of the bowels. I tried liver pills. They gave temporary relief. Two years ago I began using Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I have, at Intervals, used three bottles, and I am now enjoying uninterrupted good health." Yours truly,



HE LAST CALL.—For the balance of the week we have laid out one hundred and forty-five suits, which we shall sell at \$8.85 a suit. These suits are really extraordinary value, and not to be compared in fit, finish and fashion to the clothing usually sold about town for this price. We are beginning to show a great many of the new spring fashions, and ladies are especially invited to visit the boys' department, where we are showing a selection of the latest spring novelties for boys' wear.

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RECREANT BARR.

BROKE HIS TROTH AND STOLE THE LADY'S TRUNK.

from Cripple Creek and Jilted Her.

HER DIAMONDS ARE MISSING

SHE THINKS HE OFFERED THEM TO ANOTHER WOMAN.

Now That Barr Has Disappeared Mrs. Read Recalls Several Transactions Which Indicate That

lirs. Jane Read is a widow well past middle age. Nevertheless her tall, erect figure and stylish attire command at-tention wherever she moves. Her sharp blue eye and intelligent face re-val a knowledge of the world and of mrn which has been acquired in the long years throughout which she has loig years throughout which she has ben dependent solely upon her own regirces for her livelihood.

irs. Read was angry yesterday, very agry. It is possible she felt some in-wird grudge against herself for her own ingenuous trustfulness, but she

own ingentious trustfulness, but she voted her spite outwardly upon the alsent head of one Mr. Barr.

ast Monday Mr. Barr, who to all apearances is a prosperous business mn, applied at a family hotel on West Skth street for a room for a lady who acompanied him. He was asked if his companion was his wife, which impachment he staved off by answering tlat Mrs. Read would change her rame to Barr in a day or two, and that they had Just arrived from Crippie Creek, Colo.

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The same evening he called for his prospective bride and took her out to apper, and the next day he was again in hand to invite her to lunch with him. At that pleasant hour of association it was arranged between the two lovers that they should be marnied that same evening in Mrs. Read's rooms at the hotel. Mr. Barr promised to bing a clergyman at the appointed houl and was to invite his brother and wife to attend the ceremony as witnesses. This brother, he had represented to Mrs. Read, was engaged in the wholesale liquor business in this city.

Mi. Read made all due preparation for he happy hour and sat down to waltfor the arrival of the bridegroom. The hour chosen for the marriage passd, and several others followed, in clost order, but no bridegroom. Then Mrs Read grew angry, and her tongue loosned. When the first flush of injurd vanity had disappeared, her suspicins were aroused, and she began to salyze the conduct of Mr. Barr in thei short acquaintance of six months durtion.

of gold, or about \$1200. The five-stamp mill at the mine is entirely too small to do the work required.

Sh remembered with alarm that who they had arrived in Los Angeles a fw days ago in company with two othe ladies, Barr had retained possession of some of the baggage checks andhad suggested that certain of her truks and packages be left at the Arcde depot, as their stay in the citywould be brief. Her first impulses wasto hurry to the depot on the very night of the day that had been set apat for her wedding, to inquire about her baggage. To her consternation, she found, upon application there, that a truk that contained most of her valuabs had been called for that very day. Her fur cape and umbrell had gon he same way.

By that time the scales had fallen from her eyes. She saw Barr in the full light of his recreancy and rascality, ind she felt incensed that the afficions of a woman of her years and experience should have been betrayd and her property stolen. The tender confidence which she had reposed in Barr's honest heart and smooth-shaven face was rudely shat tered. The high color of his well-rounded cheek appeared to her as the mottled flush that betokens a defective circulation of the blood, and the waving lair of her former admirer took on the srinkled crimp of a doubtful origia.

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This further revelation of her faithless lover's fickleness stimulated Mrs. Fead's temper and excited her to utter fresh accusations against Barr. She recalled at once how, in far away Cripple Creek, in the days when she had conducted a boarding-house, she had sondupted a boarding-house, she had sursed a sick stranger back to robust health fand, as a token of gratitude for her watchful interest in the invalle's welfars, had been presented with a pair of diamond ear-rings of rare value. Her awakened recollections reviewed another incident, and this time Barr was the other actor. At her boarding-house in Cripple Creek Barr had enjoyed certain familiar rights. One day he came into her room and asked for some jetter paper, and she handed him her box of stationery. Barr wrote his letter as he sat on a trunk and then left the foom. An hour later he returned and laughingly rebuked her for her cargessness in leaving her jeweily in expesse corners. "I want to teach you a lesson," he said. "I saw your diamond on the work of the bed. At the same time he rose and walked toward her This is the stafest place for her was the property and was a should be well as the work of the bed. At the same time he rose and walked toward her This is the stafest place for her cargiessness in leaving her jeweily in expesse corners. "I want to teach you a lesson," he said. "I saw your diamond on the work of the bed. At the same time he wore them constantly night and day.

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ing but distrust toward the man who had so cruelly abused her loving regard.

One of these delicate attentions which Barr had shown her in those sacred days, which ought now to be known as pre-marital, was to make over to her by deed a home at Santa Barbara, to which in fond anticipation of the happy days to come, she had already invited some of her newly-formed acquaintances here, who had manifested a sympathetic interest in her matrimonial affair. In the deep spirit of her bitterness which overcame her yesterday, she questioned whether Barr had everowned such a place as he had made over to her out of affection and regard. Her whole manner was that of anger yesterday. She was more incensed apparently at the infidelity of Barr and his failure to keep his appointment at the loss of her property. The heartless trick of the jilt affected her more visibly than the adroit tricks of the confidence man. The stolen property, in her eyes, was of more worth as an instrument for the detection of Barr in person than for any intrinsic value.

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Detective Hawley is said to be working on the case.

The Calaveras Chronicle says a twenty-days run at the Infernal gravel mine at Chili Gulch, Calaveras county. owned by Anthony & Cope, yielded \$1200.

The Morning Star gravel mine of Placer county, which is becoming famous as a dividend proposition, declared its seventy-fourth dividend on the 1st inst., of \$4 a share.

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Notwithstanding the political troubles in the Transvaal at the beginning of the year, the output of gold from the Witwatersrand district for 1896 is the same as 1895, about 2,080,000 ounces.

Deep development mining is meeting gratifying results in Amador county. At the Onieda mine the shaft has reached a depth of 650 feet, and the longest steam-holsting works in the State has been erected.

N. Borwick, a rich English manufacturer, who owned the largest amount of stock in the Golden Feather mine and the Banner quartz mine, died recently in Oroville. The body will be shipped to England for burial.

The Oroville Register says the Golden

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The gravel being extracted from the Glen Consolidated mine, Upper Forest Hill Divide, is yielding from \$4.5 to \$5 per car, and the gold is very coarse, and it is a common thing for the workmen to pick out nuggets from the breast weighing \$5 and over.

The new owners of the Edna mine were put in possession of the mine on the 28th of January and they immediately put men at work cleaning out the shaft, preparatory to starting sinking. Ten men were at work at the mine by the first of the month.

The Ranchita mine, in the Juliar district, continues to produce good ore, and is more promising than ever. A crushing of thirty tons of rock the other day produced seventy-five ounces of gold, or about \$1200. The five-stamp mill at the mine is entirely too small to do the work required.

The statement that the Thistle Shaft

many years, John Fox, Hart Roberts,
Sam Harris, J. Staples and Joe Jefford.
The Anita mine is giving promise
of great things. The so-called Bright
chimney of ore has been drifted
through and is found to be 200 feet
in length, at the 500 level, and ranges
from three to seven feet in thickness. This ore is of the same character as that so valuable in the Kennedy mine, being so pronounced by
the best experts in this section.

Recently a body of fine ore was
opened up in the 600-foot level of the
Pittsburgh mine, near Grass Valley.
They have run in about forty feet on
the vein. A piece of the ore weighing about fifty pounds was brought to
Grass Valley. It was filled with suiphurets of good quality, and also
showed free gold all through the rock,
and was estimated to be worth about
\$30 per ton.

[Redding Free Press.] Charles L.



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Many will not permit their names to appear in an advertisement, but all can be approached personally and will give their evidence for the benefit of those who can appreciate such proof. Their names can be had from Dr. Sanden.

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Mrs. Charles Silent's second reception, Mrs. Charles Silent's second reception, yesterday afternoon, to introduce her daughter, Miss Florence Silent, was a largely-attended and very smart affair, the lowering weather making the splendidly-decorated rooms seem doubly attractive. Mmes. O. W. Childs, Ed Silent, Frank Thomas, the Misses Shankland, Garnsey, Gooding and Georgia Knight assisted in receiving. Mrs. John Foster and Miss Froelich presided in the punchroom, and Mrs. Dan Mcin the punchroom, and Mrs. Dan Mc-Farland and Mrs. Granville MacGowan in the dining-room, assisted by the Misses Spruance, Gay, Devereux, Marion Jones, Carvell, Caswell and Louise McFarland. The decorations, which Misses Spruance, Gay, Devereux, Marion Jones, Carvell, Caswell and Louise McFarland. The decorations which were under the direction of Mrs. Annie Bancroft, were exceptionally artistic. In the reception-room quantities of wild yellow-mustard was banked in feathery masses, with giant brakes. Yellow acacia and potted palms were used in the hall, California poppies and ferns in the library, and huge ferns and orange branches in the punchroom. In the dining-room, masses of scarlet carnations, brakes and smilax were effectively combined with myriads of red candles and large bows of satin ribbon. From the red-shaded chandelier fell airy sprays of asparagus plumosus, to the corners of the table, where they were fastened with loose clusters of, the carnations. The chandeliers throughout the rooms were shaded in colors to harmonize with the decorations. Music was rendered during the afternoon by Lowinsky's Orchestra, which was stationed in the reception hall. Christopher catered for the affair. Among those present were: Mesdames—
W. L. Graves, H. H. Metcalf, C. L. Strong, G. F. Bugbee, A. C. Balch, W. M. Caswell, A. C. Balch, W. M. Caswell, W. M. Caswell, W. M. Pridham, A. E. Pomeroy, E. A. Groff,

R. W. Poindexter,
Cornelius Cole,
J. S. Slauson,
W. M. Caswell,
D. K. Edwards,
A. E. Pomeroy,
L. A. Groff,
W. M. Jenkins,
L. C. Goodwin,
J. S. Owens,
W. E. Dunn,
Bancroft, A. M. Stephens,
J. R. Dupuy,
C. W. R. Ford,
T. A. Eisen,
Holterhoff,
W. T. Bishop, Jr.,
E. H. Fellows,
A. C. Jones,
James Burdette,
W. H. Workman,
Charles Forman,
O. P. Posey,
S. S. Salisbury,
W. I. Valentine,
J. W. McKinley,
S. B. Lewis,
R. J. Northam,
Alex Campbell,
W. Rodman,
Cliff Page, Bancroft,
G. A. Caswell,
C. J. Ellis,
J. S. Vosburg,
H. C. Gooding,
H. L. Macnell,
Felix C. Howes,
John Hancock,
Ezra Stimson,
J. W. A. Off,
Briggs, J. W. A. Off,
Briggs,
B. C. Whiting,
Frank Wilson,
J. J. Mellus,
E. F. C. Klokke,
G. L. Cole,
Charles Monroe,
H. T. Hazard,
William Niles,
A. J. Howard.

Cliff Page, Albert Crutcher, Albert Crutcher,
Orr Haralson,
C. I. Fox,
MissesKlokke,
Lindley,
Melzer,
M. B. Fox,
Ellis,
Florence Howard,
Clara Howes.

A. J. Howard
Winder,
Winder,
L. T. Lewis,
Bugbee,
Forman,
Florence Howard,
Clara Howes.

Messrs.—
Groff,
W. E. Dunn,
Frank Thomas,
Robert Parsons,
C. J. Ellis,
Ed Silent, Kelsey,

Ed Silent, William Niles. Kelsey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Norton entertained at dinner last evening at their residence on West Twenty-eighth street, in honor of Maj. W. B. Kennedy, U.S.A. The table was beautifully decorated in two shades of yellow, carried out in the deep orange of the California popples and the cavalry yellow of the jonquils and the satin ribbons. Upon a drawn-work centerpiece over yellow silk rested a branching silver candelabrum, shaded in yellow, on either side of which were tall cut-glass vases filled with popples, jonquils and maldenhair ferns. The centerpieces beneath the vases were embroidered in popples, and petals of the same flowers, with ferns, were strewn over the table. From the chandelier, where swung a bisque cupid, fell bands of yellow satin ribbons to the corners of the table, where they were caught in large bows. Garlands of smilax formed a canopy overhead, and the buffet and mantel were massed with poppies, jonquils and ferns. The round place cards were exquisitely decorated with the same flowers, done in water colors. Miss Norton wore a décollèté gown of yellow satin, garnitured with yellow chiffon and diamond ornaments. Besides the guest of honor, there were present Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Howes, Miss Owen, Miss Klokke and Mr. Dick.

Mrs. I. N. Van Nuys gave an informal Spanish luncheon yesterday at her

France roses and the other rooms with potted palms and bigonias. Besides the guests of honor, there were present Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davis of St. Louis, Mrs. George Jones and Miss Flora Carr of Finley, O., Miss Maude Albers and W. H. Carroll. The dinner was followed by a dancing party, at which there were present in addition to the dinner guests: Dr. and Mrs. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Donergan, the Misses Anna, Jane and Dolce McCabe, the Misses Genevieve and Nell Reardon, Miss Stella Donergan, Messrs. R. H. Myers, P. M. McCabe, T. M. Fairbourne, Allen Hancock and Jack Reardon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Williamson entertained a few friends Tuesday evening at their home on Vernon street in honor of their guest, Miss Allie Budge of Canada. Miss Washburn and Miss Moshier played several plano solos and songs were rendered by Miss Breslauer of Boston. Prof. Chambers gave selections on the violin and zither and several flute solos were given by August Leroy. Those present besides the guest of honor were:

Mesdames—
R. B. Williamson, E. J. Soper.
J. Splane, Breslauer, Boston.
Pettigrew, Misses—
Jessie Washburn, Moshier,

Frank Washburn, Roy Williamson, Holtby Myers, Montgomery. Pettigrew, Chambers, Leroy,

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Maj. W. B. Kennedy of Fort Walla
Walla, recently retired, has come to

make his home for several months in this city.

Miss Florence Howard of Indianapolis is the guest of Mrs. M. C. Gooding of South Grand avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox Tay of San Francisco are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John T. Griffith of No. 720 West Twenty-sighth street.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Keating of Dalias, Tex., are visiting Mrs. Laura B. Keating on Ingraham street.
The engagement is announced of Miss Mabel C. Pallett to Norton Obear.
Mrs. J. L. Jerome and daughter of Denver will arrive on Saturday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Niles for two weeks.
Miss Vancongdon of Canada is visiting her former schoolmate, Miss Albers, at the residence of Mrs. J. Philip Erie.

Erie.
Mrs. F. S. Smith and her sister, Mrs.
R. N. Allen of Cleveland, O., are guests
of Mrs. Harry Maxwell of Flower street.
The Ebell poster entertainment has
been postponed from Saturday evening
to Wednesday evening, February 24.

HELD IN HEAVY BAIL.

HASTINGS AND MRS. WEAVER AR-RAIGNED YESTERDAY.

but Were Unsuccessful-The Medical Electric Specialist Was Cool,

The medical electric specialist, "Dr." C. S. Hastings, and his co-partner and nurse, Mrs. A. C. Weaver, who are under arrest for performing a criminal operation on Lillian Hattery which caused her death, were arraigned before Justice Rossiter yesterday after-noon. Deputy District Attorney James appeared for the prosecution and Henry T. Gage, Esq., and John T. Jones, Esq., acted in behalf of the de-

Jones, Esq., acted in season of the fendant.

The old man, Hastings, was quiet and composed in manner, but his face wore a harassed look, and appeared to resent the curiosity of the crowd which had gathered about his ill-smelling reputation. Mrs. Weaver was nervous and fidgeted in her chair, shifting her eyes from floor to celling, as if in search of some pleasant object to look at. She appeared sick and anxious. Counsel for the defense contended that a mederate ball was all that was necessary to insure the presence of the prisoners at the preliminary examination, but the prosecution persistently held out that the gravity of the charge prisoners at the preliminary examination, but the prosecution persistently held out that the gravity of the charge called for heavy surety. Justice Rossiter evidently was of the latter opinion, and he fixed the bail for Hastings at \$15,000 and for Mrs. Weaver at \$7500. The preliminary examination was set for Saturday, February 20. Neither of the accused was able to secure bail last night, but it is understood that their attorneys will renew their attempt to have their bail reduced.

Sentence Deferred.

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Men's Elegant \$5 Corduroy \$3.25 Vests, Green Tagged to	Men's Best 25c British Half Hose, Green Tagged to 163C
Men's Stylish \$5 Corduroy \$3.50 Vests, Green Tagged to	Men's \$1.50 All-wool Underwear, Green Tagged to
Men's \$3.50 Corduroy Vests, \$2.00 Green Tagged to	Men's 50c Derby Ribbed Underwear, Green Tagged to 36c
Men's Doe Skin Vests, Green Tagged to\$3.00	Men's 25c Suspenders, Green Tagged to
Men's Fine Plush Vests, \$2.50 Green Tagged to	Men's Brown Cotton Half Hose, Green Tagged to30
Men's \$6 Silk and Wool Vests, Green Tagged to\$4.00	Men's Fine Half Hose in brown and black, Green Tagged to7c

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O'KEEFE ARRAIGNED.

BAIL FIXED AT TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

the Wounded Men are Do ing Well-Gebhardt Taken to His Home and Anderson to the Sisters' Hospital.

William O'Keefe, known more com-monly as Charlie Keith, who shot two men Tuesday night in the Elite saloon on Spring street, was arraigned yes-terday afternoon before Justice Rossi-ter. Two distinct charges of assault with intent to commit murder were lodged against him by Detective Steele.

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At the time of his appearance in court he had not yet secured an attorney, although he explained that he was taking steps to be represented by counsel. His ball was fixed at \$10.000 in each case, for assault upon Harry Anderson and upon David M. Gebhardt. O'Keefe's examination was set for this afternoon at 2 o'clock to be reset. It is probable that considerable delay will necessarily be incurred in these cases, owing to the condition of the men who were shot preventing their appearance in court.

O'Keefe's face showed the effects of the battering which he is said to have received at the hands of Bob Anderson, the brother of the wounded man, prior to the shooting. His face was slightly cut in several places, and his left eye was very much bloodshot and, discolored. He seemed perfectly self-possessed, and did not shrink in any way from the staring crowd that was in attendance.

Gebhardt, who was shot in the back and had a narrow escape from death, owing to the interposition of a rib, was taken in a hack from the Receiving Hospital to his home yesterday morning. His wound is not considered very serious, and his condition up to this morning showed every favorable aspect that could be anticipated.

Anderson, the other wounded man seemed to suffer great pain yesterday, and was kept more or less under the influence of opiates all the time. In the afternoon his brother, Bob Anderson, called at the Receiving Hospital with an ambulance and removed the wounded man to the Sisters' Hospital. There have been no new dangerous developments in his case.

The Mountain Messenger of Sierra county says: "Development work is

water poured in in such volume that it said, tenderly pressing the little sleepers into Mrs. Read's soft cars. She had not ever looked at them and from the transport of the strong of t

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Dated Los Angeles, Cal., Pebruary 3rd, 1897. CHARLES B. BOOTHE. GEORGE E. NOLAN.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES. Los Angeles, Feb, 17, 1897. THE BANK OF FRANCE. The char ter of the Bank of France expires next year, and the bank officials have been in negotiation with the government for some time to arrange the terms upon which a renewal of the charter will be

granted. The Bank of France has al-ways been exceptionally strong, having accumulated the largest amount of currency, both gold and silver, of any of the European national banks. The charter of the bank is to be renewed and extended, under the agreement just reached, for twenty-three years, but with some changes. The limit of the note issue is raised from f.4,000,000,000 to f.5,000,000,000—\$1,000,000,000. New burdens, however, and new services are imposed. The bank is to advance to the government f.40.000,000 free of interest, and is to renounce interest on loans made to the government in 1857 and 1878, asgregating f.140,000,000. About f.7,000,000 of the bank's notes are supposed to have been destroyed, having posed to have been destroyed, having been out for a long time and never pre-sented for redemption. The bank is not to gain by this loss of the note-hold-ers. The government takes the f.7,000,000 and assumes the responsibility of re-deeming the notes if they are ever pre-sented.

COMMERCIAL.

IMPORTING HOPS. Maier & Zobelein, the Los Angeles brewers, recently imported some hops from Germany. This looked very much like carrying coals to Newcastle, as the Pacific Coast is noted for its hops, which are selling at a very low price, and are largely exported to Europe, where they are held in high esteem. Inquiry brought out the explanation that Pacific Coast hops while excellent in every way for the manufacture of ale and porter, are not so well adapted to be used exclusively in the manufacture of lager beer, as they possess certain qualities which need to be toned down by the admixture of European hops. IMPORTING HOPS, Maier & Zobe

CONSUMPTION OF BEER. The consumption of beer in the United States is steadily increasing, as may be seen from the following comparative state-ment of the consumption of barrels in various cities for the past two years, which is given by the Wine and Spirit Merchants' Gazette:

	Consump-	Consump-
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	1895.	1896.
New York	4.691.113	4,918,808
Chicago	2,648,335	3,198,222
Milwaukee	2,037,024	2,222,818
St. Louis	1.912.869	2.070.331
Philadelphia	1.819.113	1.996.743
Brooklyn	1.814.553	1.926.858
Cincinnati	1.224.372	1,217,343
Newark	1.126.319	1.227.506
Boston	1.092.279	1.224.524
Baltimore	535,574	663,090
New Orleans	349.568	246 202

BUSINESS OUTLOOK IN THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK IN THE EAST. One of the most encouraging features of the present business outlook in the East is that nobody is trying to create a fictitious boom. There has, in fact, been very little development of the speculative in business. Commenting upon this phase of the business outlook the United States investor says:

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"We do not know when a more conservative spirit has governed the business community. The cause is probably to be found in the fact that the experience of the last few years has taught merchants and manufacturers that there's many a slip betwixt the cup and the lip. So many projects regarding whose soundness theoretically there could be no question have come to grief, that the most astute of our business men are modest in their plans for the future. It is from such a state of affairs as this that industrial activity is most likely to spring. Good times are almost certain to come upon us like a thief in the night. Nature looks after such matters, and the most that man can do is to throw no obstacles in her way. Human attempts to make business active almost invariably result in producing the opposite of the desired end.

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"For some weeks past we have been of the opinion that affairs were quietly shaping themselves for a more active business. One factor after another of man's making has intervened since 1893 to keep the country from getting on its feet again. Today there is a noteworthy willingness to let things take their course. This may spring more or less from despair, or it may find its origin in a growing wisdom on the part of the people of the United States. From whatever cause, the result is certain to be improvement in business. The improvement will probably not come to all classes at an equal pace. We have a noteworthy instance of this fact in the woolen-manufacturing industry. A few large manufacturing industry. A few large manufacturing industry a few large manufacturing industry a few large manufacturing industry. large manufacturers with abundant means, have recently bought at abnormally low prices, enough wool to last them six months or a year, they being practically the only buyers in the market. The result is likely to be that when the other people come in to buy prices will be higher. The big mills, having the cheapest raw material, will be in a position to make the lowest prices and to obtain an abnormally large percentage of the orders for the finished product.

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"However, the improvement in the condition of one class is bound to be followed by improvement in another. The present season in many lines of goods is a poor one, but we shall be somewhat surprised if the continued abstention from buying on the part of the people generally does not come to an end in the not remote future. The working off of old stocks has been going on so long that it is not hazarding too much to say that the present dull season is witnessing the conclusion of our misery. This, of course, is uttered with the proviso that Congress conducts itself with a modicum of good sense, and refrains from utterances calculated to descreependate or the conductor of the contraction of the contraction of the contraction of good sense. and refrains from utterances calculated to destroy confidence."

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS. GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

THE GUATEMALA EXPOSITION.
While we are figuring on the Omaha Exposition for next year, Southern Californians should not lose sight of the exposition that is to open in Guatemala on the 15th of next month. The State Legislature has appropriated \$19,900 to be used in getting up a California exhibit. This money will be applied for the transportation of the exhibit and the cost of putting it in place and maintaining it in Guatemala.

The Times has frequently called at-

Cheese.
Cheese-Local, large, 11; Young America, 12; hand cheese, 13; Swiss, imported, 25; American, 14216; Limburger, 122015.
Honey and Beeswax.

ney-Comb, amber, 11; white, 12.

Hams—Per lb., Rex., 11½; boneless, 8; boneless butts, 7½; selected "mild cure," 8½; skinned, 11; picnic, 5½.
Dry Salted Pork—Per lb., clear bellies, 7; short clears, 6½; clear backs, 5½.
Dried Becf—Sets, 11; insides and knuckles, 12½; outsides, 8.
Pickled Pork—Per half bbl., 80 lbs., 8.00.
Bacon—Rex breakfast bacon, 10; Diamond C, special fancy wrapped, 12; Diamond C, olain wrapped, 11½; Diamond C, breakfast backs, 7½. Bacon
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plain wrapped, 11½; Diamond C, becker
backs, 7½
Lard—Rex, Pure Leaf, tierces, 5½; kettle
rendered, in fancy 50-lb. tubs, 6; Ivory lard
compound, 5½; Rexolene, 5½; White Label
lard, tierces, 5½.
Fresh Meats.
for wholesals carcases;

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Provisions.

Butchers' prices for wholesals carcases:

Beef—Prime, 5% @6%.

Veal—5@7.

Mutton—5@5%: lambs, 5@6.

Dressed Hogs—5%.

Heans.

Beans.-Lady Washington, 1.70@1.80; navy., 80@2.00; pinks, 1.60@1.75; Limas, 2.50@2.75; plack-eyed, 1.50@2.00; peas, 2.50@3.00. Eggs.

Eggs-California fresh ranch, 12@13. Apples—Evaporated, 6%@7.
Apricots—7@10.
Peaches—Per lb., unpealed, 6@9; peeled, 11

Prunes—Per lb., sacks, 5@8; Argonauts, 9; Prunes—Per lb., sacks, 5@8; Argonauts, 9; Imperial, 11. Raisins—Per lb., 5@7; fancy bleached, 10 Dates-Per Ib., 64@74.
Millstuffs.

Bran-Per ton, local, 18.00; northern, 18.00. Shorts-Per ton, 20.00. Rolled Barley-Per ton, 17.00.

Butter — Local creamery, 42½@45; fancy Coast, 35@37½; dairy, 2-lb. squares, 32½@35; light-weight squares, 27½@30; fair to good, 22½@25; creamery, in tubs, 18. Vegetables. Squash-1.50.

Peas-869.
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Cabbage-Per 100 lbs., 75.
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Chiles-Dry, per string, 50@60; Mexican, er lb., 15; green, 6.

ner lb., 15; green, 6, Garsic-3½, onions-Per 100 lbs., 2.25@2.50.

Onions-Per 100 lbs., River Burbanks, 1.00 ll.10 per sack; Nevada Burbanks, 1.15@1.25; alinas Burbanks, 1.10@1.15; ariy Rose, 1.20@1.25; Turnips-Per sack, 75.

Tomatocs-1.00@1.10.

Radishes-1.5

Rhubarb-1.5

Lettuce-15.

Flour-Los Angeles XXXX flour, 5.00 per bbl.; Capitol, 5.00; northern, 5.40; full super fine, 4.50; eastern, 6.25; Washington, 3.75; graham, 2.50. Rolled Oats-Per bbl., 4.75@5.00. Rolled Wheat-Per bbl., 3.00. Cornmeal-1.60. Wheat-1.50@1.00.

Hay-Best barley, 8.00@13.00; best oat, 10.00 @11.00; alfalfa, baled, 6.00@8.00; wheat and oat, 9.00@11.00.

Live Stock.

Live Stock,

Hogs-Per cwt. 3.25@3.37%,

Beef Cattle-2.50@3.00,

Lambs-Per bead. 1.50@1.76.

Sheep-Per cwt. 1.75@2.50.

Green Fruits.

Lemons-Extra fancy Eureka and Lisbon,
1.25@1.75; uncured, fancy. 1.25; limes, 50.

Cranges-Seedlings, 90@1.35; navels, 1.75@
1.75. Pears-Winter Nellis, 1.75@2.00.
Apples-Per box, 1.25; fancy, 1.50@1.75;
astern, in barrels, 3.50@4.00.
Bananss-1.75@2.00.
Strawberries-12@14.

Hides and Wool. Hides-As they run, 11; kip, 9; calf, 14%:

ulls, 6, Wool-21/2 341/4. Tallow-11/2 321/4. Poultry. Hens-3.50@4.50; young roosters, 3.75@4.50; and roosters, 3.75@4.50; broilers, 3.00@3.50; Hens—3.50074.50; young pld roosters, 3.75@4.50; ducks, 4.50@5.50. Turkeys—Live, 14@15.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Shares and Money.

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[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The stock market lapsed again into the heaviness that has characterized it for a long time past, and the Industrial group absorbed the largest part of the total transactions and exercised the controlling influences on the general trend of the market. The dealing in those shares was to all appearances entirely in the hands of the professional element, without evidence of any marked interest. Money continues abundant and the reduction of the rate on call to 1½61½ per cent. indicates the dissort to the market was steady. 9½610½.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Common to fair beef steers sold at 3.5064.00; fair to medium, 4.109; developments to depress prices, general confidence continuing unimpaired in the favorable business outlook, but the small limit of the interests in the market left it a prey to the manipulation of traders under the lead of the Industrials. Rubber, which is now the subject of the legislative inquiry, was little and the preferred 1 per cent. but both subsequently lost the advance. The trading in this stock was small in amount. Sugar, though largely dealt in and very irregular, was confined in its variations within a point, closing at the opening figure, 113%. The bond market displayed little feature aside from the Hocking Valley mortgages. Though largely dealt in and very irregular, was confined in its variations within a point, closing at the opening figure, 113%. The bond market displayed little feature aside from the Hocking Valley mortgages. Though largely dealt in and very irregular, was confined in its variations within a point, closing at the opening figure, 113%. The bond market displayed little feature aside from the Hocking Valley mortgages. Though largely dealt in and very irregular, was confined in its variations within a point, closing at the opening figure, 113% and the preferred its variationally under the depressing influences of the market.

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Can. South ... 41½ Oregon S. L. 15
Cen. Pacific ... 114 Pacific Mail ... 25
Ches, & Ohlo. 17 P. D. & E... 2
Chicago Alton ... 162 Pittsburgh ... 155
C. B. & Q. ... 71½ Pull. Palace ... 154½
Con. Gas ... 150 U. S. Rubber ... 191½
Col. Col. 62 St. L. 20 U. S. Rubber ... 191½
Col. Old Cer. 11 R. G. W. ... 12
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D. & R. G. ... 11 St. Paul pfd ... 123½
D. & R. G. ... 11 St. Paul pfd ... 123½
D. & R. G. pfd ... 14½ St. Paul ... 75%
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Money and Bills.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Money on call, easy at 1½@2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 2@4 per cent.; sterling exchange, easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.86@4.87 for demand and 4.85@4.81 for sixty days; posted rates, 4.85½ and 4.87½@4.88; commercial bills, 4.81; silver certificates, 64½@65½; bar silver, 64%.

European Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The Evening Post's Wholesale Quotations Revised Dally. LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17, 1897.
The local produce market is generally firm Eggs remain strong and butter does_not de-

European Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says the stock markets had a better tendency today, but apart from necessary investing nothing was doing. Americans followed the New York lead, there being no initiative here, where the only activity is in a few home industrial concerns. The Glasgow from market closed with a panic, the bears raiding it on fears of the Scotch miners striking for an advance in wages, and also on poor American advices. The Paris and Berlin markets were steady.

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CHICAGO. Feb. 17.—New York Biscuit
stock was sold heavily today on the heavy
cut in prices by that company, the stock selling down to 39½. It was fairly well supported late in the day.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—Atchison, 141/4; Bell elephone, 217; Burlington, 741/2; Mexican

Telephone. 217; Burner. Central 8½. Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$215,736,592; gold reserve, \$146,824,818.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

Grain Movements.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Wheat opened firm at from 74% to 74% for May, against 74 yesterday afternoon. The tendency for an hour after the start was upward, and it got as high as 74% 674% before it had any serious reaction. From, the latter point, however, it turned in the opposite direction, and in about thirty aninutes had undone the result of its earlier efforts and even declined to 4c below the closing price of the day before. The first help for wheat came from Liverpool, the quotations from which market indicated considerable nervousness, although accompanied by statements that the war scare had practically disappeared. Higher prices for consolapparently confirmed these reports. Nevertheless Liverpool quotations were ½d lower to ½d higher, following yesterday's collapse here. The steady failing off in receipts was quite a factor. The day's receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth were only 165 cars, compared with 218 a week ago and 342 on the corresponding day of last year. Chicago inspected twelve cars into store. The decline following the first advance brought the price of May down to 73% and was caused by a sharp break in St. Louis, where May suddenly slumped from \$1½ to \$2%, and the report was circulated that the break was due to the fine outlook for the growing wheat in the Southwest. This naturally led to a good deal of liquidation. Prices soon rebounded to 74½ and later, after considerable hesitation, started on a little boom and had got to 74% by 12:30. The market closed firm at 74% bid for May.

Corn was rather dull, but inclined to firmness. Prices were helped by the great decrease in receipts, which amounted to only 204 cars, and also by the closing firmness in wheat.

Nothing of consequence happened in oats. The market appeared to be resting.

Provisions got a body blow early in the day by the selling out of a heavy line of May pork, and it took the market all the rest of the session to recover from such an attack. Today's run of hogs was very heavy.

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The Wool Trade.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow of the wool trade that a diminished activity has characterised the market of the past week. The falling-off is what everybody had expected as a result of the enormous transactions recently recorded. The feature of the market is the firmness of prices which is encountered in many directions. There are not lacking those whose expectations of materially firmer quotations are leading them to hold on very tenactiously. Fleeces are firmly held, sales being smaller than in the previous week. There is a very fair trade doing in Territories. Sales of Australian have also held out well. The supply of medium and coarse wools in the Boston market appears to be light.

Live Stock at Kansas City.

Petroleum. NEW YORK. Feb. 17, -- Petroleum was steady. United closed 91½ bid. Pennsylvania crude was steady. March closed 91½. Silver and Consols.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Silver, 29 11-16d; con sols, 112%. Pacific Coast Hops. LONDON, Feb. 17 .- Pacific Coast hops, £3

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Flour—Family
extras, 5.00@5.15; bakers' extras, 4.75@4.85;

green peppers, per box, 50@75: summer squash, 75@1.00; Mexican tomatoes, 1.00@1.25 per box.

Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.00@1.25: common, 50@75: castern, 1.00@3.00 per barrel; crauberries, 5.00@7.00. — Navel oranges, 1.75@2.25; seeding, 1.50@1.75: California lemons, common, 50@7.00. — Navel oranges, 1.75@2.25; seeding, 1.50@1.75: California lemons, common, 50@7.00. — Navel oranges, 1.50@2.50; pine-mon, 1.00@2.00: New Orthans, 75@1.00.

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gij; lancy dairy, 16217; seconds, 14218; creamery tub, 17@18; pickled, 14; firkin, 13 Gi4.

Chesse—Fancy mild, new, 9½@20; fair to good, 7@8½; California cream cheddar, 10@1; Young American, 11@12; eastern, 14@14½ per pound; western, 12@12½;
Eggs—Ranch, 12½@14; store eggs, 12.
Poultry—Live turkey gobblers, 12@13; bens, 12@13; old roosters, 400; young, 5.00@5.50; brotlers, amall, 3.00@3.50; brotlers, large, 4.50 Gs.00; fryers, 4.50@5.00; brotlers, large, 4.50 ducks, 4.50@5.00; oung, 6.00@7.00; geese, 1.50 Gl.75; old pigeons, 1.00@1.25; young, 2.00@2.50, Game—Hare, 50@75 per dozen; gray geese, 2.00; rabbits, 1.00@1.25; white geese, 1.00; brant, 1.50; honkers, 3.50@4.00; English suipe, 2.50.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

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1	closing quotations for were as follows:	mining stocks toda
1	Alta 3	Gould & Curry
ı	Alpha Con 5	Hale & Nor
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l	Belcher 20	Mexican
ı	Best & Belcher 61	Occidental Con
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I	Caledonia 2	Overman
l	Challenge Con 35	Potosl
ł	Chollar 85	Savage
ı	Confidence es	Scorpion
ı	Con. Cal. & Va. 190	Sierra Nevada
ı	Con. Imperial 1	Union Con
1	Crown Point 19	Utah Con
1	Exchequer 2	Yellow Jacket

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Beans—Pink, 1.10@1.25; Lima, 1.75@2.00; small white, 1.15@1.30; large white, 1.05@1.15 Receipts.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Flour, quarter sacks. 8236; wheat, centals. 1710; barley, centals, 2635; oats, centals, eastern, 800; potatoes, sacks. 319; orin, centals, eastern, 6800; rye, centals, 500; beans, sacks, 585; bran, sacks, 15; middings, sacks, 200; hay, tons, 310; wool, bales, 192; hides, number. 220; quicksilver, flasks, 51; wine, gallons, 22,000.

Callboard Sules.

Callboard Sales. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Wheat, quiet; December, 1.194; May, 1.334. Barley, firm; December, 78; May, 734. Corn. large yellow, 7714@80; California bran, 12.00@13.00. Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Silver bars, 64%: Mexican dollars, 51%@51½; drafts, sight, 25; telegraph, 27½.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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WEDNESDAY, Feb. 17, 1897.

(Figures in parentheses, unless otherwiss stated, give volume and page of miscellameous records containing recorded mane.)

J B Owens et ux to Cornella J L Keller, lot 190, Mills & Wicks's extension of Second street, 4450.

G H Girdlestone to Alice Jane Girdlestone, lots 24 and 25, block A. Desnoyer tract, \$950.

Gregory Perkins, Jr, to George H Peck, Jr, lot 13, block 97, town of San Pedro, 3150.

John A Howard et ux to John Ely Janes, lot 4, H Markham tract, Pasadena, 31509.

J F Isbell to Hamilton West, lots 3 and 4, block 6, town of Rivers, 3150.

Casper C Cohn et ux to John J McClelland, lot 14, Cohn's partition in the Rancho Paso de l'artolo, 33500.

Annie E Butler to John M Etienne, lot 3, block 1, Olivewood, 3650.

John Burr, Sheriff, to Helena Losee, lot 4, block 24, Angeleno Heishts, \$953.

Stephen E Lossing, administrator, to A C Spaiding, part of lot 4, sec 16, T 3 S, R 13 W, \$5500.

Spalding, part of lot 4, sec 16, T 3 S, R 13 W, \$500.

Ella Glies Ruddy to Thomas Vigus, lots 11 and 13 block 2, owney tract, \$2000.

Maria I Butts to J R Chapton, lot 24, block M, Knob Hill tract, \$800.

William T Carskaddon et 'ux to Samuel Good, 10 acres in sec 18, T 2 S, R 13 W, \$500.

Frank M Keisey, Public Administrator, to W F Mann, lot 1, block H, Shafer & Lanterman's subdivision of the Montague tract, \$1305.

FA Hutchinson, agent, to Frank Escallier, that 5-acre tract where the Occidental College, was erected, \$1200.

M J Harwood to J F Fruelson, lot 13, Harwood tract, \$170.

I H Freston, trustee, to William Hunter, all of block 4 and lots 1 to 6, inclusive, block 7, New York tract, \$180.

J Frederick J Gillimore, executor, to Erwin N Gould, part of division F, lands of the San Gabriel Orange Grove Association, \$2500.

J W Barf to Mrs Annie K Davis, lot 59, Wevery tract, \$700.

SUMMARY.

AN INFELICITOUS PEN.

The Righteons Wall of an Outraged

In the Atlanta Constitution there recently appeared an article from the pen of Wallace Reed, setting forth how the "Duchess," and a few other novel-writers, from being "dead broke," or nearly so, started on a literary career

to be more convenient to return than to burn.

Because of Mr. Reed's ill-advised attempt to rustle up four bits, or a dollar, with his infelicitious pen, I am one among many similar sufferers. I am a poor man, moreover my wife has twins. They are bouncers, and are daily developing an awful capacity for assimilating the good things of life. By dint of skill and eblow grease at the washtub and ironing board my wife has heretofore managed to keep the wolf from our door, and also to provide me with cigars quite regularly, and an occasional demijohn of claret. Now all is changed. She read that article by Mr. Reed, and her soul drew in all the fullness of its diabolical suggestion. So the washtub plnes away; the ironing-board has gone for kindling wood, and the soap—ah, the soap—I found that where the twins left it on the back steps. My feet found it first and my back found the steps, while yet my feet were vainly kicking at high heaven. The bread and cheese have vanished, the clgars and claret no longer gladden my heart. I am beginning to have that lean and hungry look which Ceasar attributed to overmuch thinking, but that isn't what alis me. No, but the light, and warmth, and comfort are going out of my home, and the twins are beginning to present a most uninviting aspect.

Meanwhile, the infatuated wife of my bosom scribbles day and night, and sends off dead, loads of MSS. She cruelly suggests, also, the propriety of my rustling for a job to keep us till she "gets a check." If she doesn't get some kind of a check soon, heaven knows where this business will end. I want to see him bad.

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nearly so. started on a literary career and ever after "kept the wolf from the door." When I read that article, my subtle sense of inspiration at once divined the mischlef it might brew, and already there is walling and gnashing of teeth in the land, on account of the encouragement Mr. Reed has given to persons afflicted with "cacoethes scribendl." It is wrong to encourage the far too prevalent practice, of supplying free fuel for the editors' office stove. There, too, are the stamps sent on the bare possibility of the MS. being returned. The MS. isn't returned, unless it happens to burn.

Because of Mr. Reed's ill-advised attempt to rustle up four bits, or a dol-

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LONG BEACH AND SAN PEDRO.

Leave Los Angeles. Arrive Los Angeles.
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1:12 p.m. CATALINA ISLAND. 5:36 p.m.
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PASADENA.

IMPORTANCE OF PROTECTION TO LOCAL ORANGE-GROWERS.

Statistics Concerning the Industry Presented at a Meeting Last Evening—Real Estate Notes—A Petty Prosecution—News Notes and Personals.

PASADENA, Feb. 17.-[Regular Cor respondence.] The citrus fruit-grow-ers of Pasadena appear to be singularly blind to their own interests, and to the injury inflicted upon the citrus in-dustry by foreign competition. A good attendance was expected at the meet-ing in the Board of Trade rooms this evening, but a mere handful were present. The object of the meeting was to cooperate with the California Citrus Growers' Tariff Committee in se-curing at the coming session of Concuring at the coming session of Congress adequate protection for the citrus fruits of this State. Nothing could be of greater importance to those engaged in this industry, and it was therefore hoped that the meeting would be a representative one. The threatening weather may have been partly responsible for the small attendance, but it was felt by those present that the importance of the object in view should have brought out every orange-grower and lemon-grower in the city.

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It is estimated that the oranges and lemons shipped from Pasadena alone yield to the growers not less than \$45,-000 annually, and this sum would be largely increased if an adequate protective tariff should be established. Self-interest would therefore dictate an active cooperation with the effort now being made to secure the desired legislation by Congress.

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Owing to the small attendance, the meeting was an informal one. George F. Kernaghan gave some interesting statistics concerning the orange production of Southern California. The annual crop may be conservatively estimated at 8000 carloads. At a freight rate of 90 cents per box, the railroads receive annually over \$2,000,000 for transporting the fruit to eastern consumers. Orange-growers receive on an average not less than \$1 per box, which means a yearly return of \$2,400,000. If by a higher tariff the growers profit can be increased 50 per cent., the annual returns to Southern California would be at least \$3,600.000. Mr. Kernaghan stated that his estimate of 8000 carloads as the annual product was a low one. For the coming season the crop will be about 13,000 carloads. Mr. Kernaghan then read a brief statement prepared by F. Q. Story, the member from Los Angeles county of the Citrus Growers' Tariff Committee. In substance it was as follows:

The purpose of the committee is to send to Washington two practical energetic orange-growers, qualified to make a suitable showing before the Ways and Means Committee, and one or two ex-members of Congress, whose experience would be useful in urging upon Senators and Representatives the need of protection for the citrus industry. Several gentlemen have voluntarily offered their services, but the committee feels that its representatives should be paid for their services and expenses, so that they may be under the direction of the constituents for whom they are to appear. The cost of sending three representatives will probably be about \$4800, as they may have to remain in Washington eighten weeks. Eastern importers of foreign-grown oranges are preparing to fight any increase in the tariff. It is necessary, therefore, to demonstrate California's great need of protection it should be 70 cents a box. With

The committee has issued subscription lists to defray the expenses of the delegation to be sent to Washington. Growers will be asked to contribute upon the basis of 20 cents per acre and one-third of 1 cent per box of the crop of 1896.

After some informal discussion it was agreed that a vigorous effort should be made by those present to arouse general-interest in the undertaking, and to procure subscriptions from the orange-growers of the city.

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REAL ESTATE NEWS. A small sale on the southwest corner of Pasadena avenue and Grove street was effected today by Henry Finck. The lot was owned by Dr. John McCoy of Los Angeles, and the purchaser is W. G. Ladd of Morristown, N. J., who has been in Pasadena for the past two months. The lot has a frontage of 58 feet on Pasadena avenue, and is 183 feet deep. The price paid was \$700. Mr. Ladd expects to improve the property at once.

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Several deals of importance are pending, and real estate agents expect a period of considerable activity. Many inquiries for desirable investments are being made by eastern visitors.

A HEINOUS CRIME.

McDopald of Lamanda Park has As McDopald of Lamanda Park has filed a complaint against James J. Mc-Kenna and has caused his arrest, alleging that on March 1, 1896, nearly a year ago, McKenna, "by false pretenses and representations," obtained from the complainant the sum of \$5.60. The complaint reclies that McDonald bought from McKenna 140 apricot trees at 4 cents aplece, and that McKenna, "wilfully, unlawfully, feloniously, knowingly and designedly," obtained therefor the sum mentioned, representing that the trees were budded and of the variety known as "Royal apricots." These representations, it is alleged, were untrue. Inasmuch therefore, as the defendant had acted "contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the people of the State of California," he was haled into court to answer for his helinous offense. The case has not yet been tried, and meantime McKenna is out upon his own recognizance.

Washington's birthday will be cele-prated by a baseball game between earns selected from the Sons of Veter-us and John F. Godfrey Post, G.A.R. W. A. Hutchinson, a well-known newspaper man of Chicago, is visiting friends in Pasadena.

REDONDO.

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Fair Prospect of a New Fish-canning Plant.

REDONDO, Feb. 17.—[Regular Correspondence.] There is a fair prospect that a fish canning plant will be established at this port. Persons interested in the project have asked an experienced eastern fish packer to make an estimate of the cost of a plant capable of providing for the business at the start. He has investigated, and according to his figures such a plant may be placed here for about \$3000. This would include apparatus such as selnes and other things for catching the fish. As the business grows the capacity of the plant may be increased. The waters off shore here abound in sardines, and, in fact, the San Pedro cannery is supplied with them to a large extent from near here. This line of business is said to be such that one concern need not injure another in close proximity to it. One-half the sum estimated to start a cannery here has been pledged. When once actually started it would probably take three months to finish construction and get the plant in actual operation. It is believed the establishment could also with profit dispose of the great quantities of surplus yellow-tail and other fish caught here during the summer months.

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REDONDO BREVITIES.

The steamer Mexico brought 150 tons of freight from the North to this port Monday. She took on fifty tons of freight for the North this morning. It consisted largely of oranges.

A moderately strong wind is blowing from off shore today, and the sea is decidedly choppy.

The management of the Redondo Hotel changed hands Monday, and E. Dunham is now in charge. He and Charles L. Schieffelin, who is associated with him, were formerly in charge of the Pico, St. Elmo and Nadeau hotels in Los Angeles. Mr. Dunham has taken the hostelry for a year.

Among the guests recently registered at the hotel are: Miss M. S. Miller and Miss Wilkle, Minneapolis; M. Traver, Decatur, Ill.; John F. Francis and F. P. Rees, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miles, Racine, Wis; Frank B. McShay and wife, San Francisco; F. Michaux and wife, Houston. Tex.; R. Depue and J. H. Keif, Davenport, Iowa: S. W. Anderson, Frederick Kuny and Mrs. F. Urban, Los Angeles and Redondo Railway Company, the Redondo Beach Company and the Redondo Beach Company and the Redondo Hotel Company will have their annual meeting Saturday evening. Various indefinite rumors of changes in the affairs of the companies are heard. Among these is one about a prospective extention of the railway company's line to San Pedro.

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Creamery Plant Sold-Water Rates to Be Made.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 17.—[Regular Cor-respondence.] The building and plant of the Riverside Creamery were sold by the Sheriff Monday to satisfy vari-ous claims against it. The outfit is of the Riverside Creamery were sold by the Sheriff Monday to satisfy various claims against it. The outfit is one of a number put in by a Chicago company in Southern California in 1894, and was operated only a few weeks. The machinery was bid in by J. W. Chase of Arlington. Several other parties in that section are interested with him, and the outfit will be moved there. The alfalfa lands under the canals of the Riverside Water Company are mainly in that part of the settlement, and it is believed that a creamery can be profitably operated there. If the proposition is a success the acreage in alfalfa is likely to be largely increased. There is a large amount of fine land in the lower part of Riverside that, while unsuited to oranges, is splendidly adapted to alfalfa. The water supply is abundant, and with a creamery managed by practical people there is good money in dairy farms.

TO FIX WATER RATES.

The City Trustees have so much rou-

The City Trustees have so much rou-tine business on Thursday that they have decided to hold a special meeting Friday and devote it entirely to the Friday and devote it entirely to the consideration of water rates. Trustee Morse is back from Sacramento and Trustees Kingman and La Rue, who have been sick, are out again, so that the full board will probably be present. The Trustees have given no intimation of what they intend to do, and there is likely to be some tall talking done both pro and con on the proposed change in rates.

GOOD PROGRAMME OF SPORTS.

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Washington's birthday will be celebrated in Riverside with a varied programme of sports. In the forenoon there will be a baseball game between nines from the high schools of Riverside and Corona, and a road race. In the afternoon the great polo game between the Riverside and Burlingame teams will be played on the polo grounds, and at Wheelmen's Park there will be a locrosse game and also a basket-ball game between the Riverside and Redlands Y.M.C.A.. The ponies of the Burlingame polo team arrived from San Francisco Wednesday night.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

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The light rain of Wednesday inter-fered with orange picking, but was received with much favor by the grain

ranchers.
T. J. Staike of the St. Charles Hotel,
San Bernardino, was married here
Wednesday to Miss Mary Finn.
The Odd Fellows have decided to-put electric lights throughout their block on Main street.
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POMONA.

Races Announced-Dr. Smith's Case

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

LARGE CROP OF CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR OF SAN DIEGO.

mons Railroad Subscriptions—Ja-macha Irrigation Affairs—Spook Roost on Point Loma—Carnival Notes—San Diego Brevities.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 17 .- [Regular Cor respondence.] Another leading citizen has announced himself as candidate for Mayor of this city, subject to the approval of the Republican convention.
This brave man is D. C. Reed. He has lived here since 1870 and was a Blaine delegate to the national convention in 1884 and a member of the Notification Committee sent to Mr. Blaine in Maine Mr. Reed has worked here valiantly for the Republican party. The non-parti-san candidates for Mayor now before the people are Victor E. Shaw and C. F. Holland, sterling Democrats. The The people are victor E. Shaw and C.
F. Holland, sterling Democrats. The
Pop candidate is A. C. Mouser. George
D. Copeland is an independent candidate and Mayor Carlson is set down as
another probable independent candidate. And there are others yet to be
heard from.

THE RAMONA RAILROAD. THE RAMONA RAILROAD.

The efforts to secure subscriptions for building twenty-two miles of railway from Fosters, on the Cuyamaca line, to Hamona at a cost of about \$400,000, were at first less successful than desired because of California laws making stockholders liable for double the amount of the stock. It is proposed to incorporate the company under the laws of Arizona, which impose upon stockholders only a limited liability. JAMACHA IRRIGATION MATTERS.

The Jamacha Irrigation District embraces tens of thousands of valuable ranch acres. For years it has struggled under the Wright Act toward securing water for these acres. Some of the land-owners now propose to do something. They have formed the Jamacha Property Owners' Organization for the purpose, of securing the early delivery of water in this district. A committee is to investigate the financial condition of the affairs of the district and consult with the directors of the district concerning its vital and pressing needs. Dr. Cave is chairman and M. Klouber secretary of the organization.

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The Buffalo Express prints a statement from one of the officers of the Theosophical Society concerning the Ancient Mystery School to be established on Point Loma, in which he says: "In ages gone by, when a high civilization flourished on the American continent, there stood on the identical spot at Point Loma a temple in which were enacted mysteries that rivaled those of Egypt and Greece. Occult records prove the site to be the oldest piece of ground on the American continent, and that for ages masters of wisdom have guarded the spot against desecration."

In five days the Theosophists propose laying the corner-stone of their Point Loma school. Arrangements have been made for the necessary platforms and illuminations. Tonight forty prominent Theosophists are due from San Francisco, including Mrs. Katherine A. Tingley, the successor of Mme. Blavatsky. After the establishment of the school here similar institutions will be founded in Ireland and Egypt, according to statements by officials of the society.

CARNIVAL NOTES.

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Permission for the landing of British armed men from H.M.S. Comus will have to be given by the office of the Secretary of State as well as by the Navy Secretary. It is hoped that the Comus crew will participate in the grand land parade. The matter will have to go to the British Minister at Washington, then to Admiral Palliser, who, if he approves, will order Capt. Dyke to land his men.

William Burnham is due to day on his yacht San Diego, with a party of Orange people, who come to witness the carnival.

The crews of the warships are having a drill on North Island this morning. Lieutenant-Commander Ingersoll is getting his men into excellent training for the carnival exhibitions.

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The U.S.S. Adams sailed from San Francisco on Monday to arrive here in time for the carnival.

After the carnival here the Philadelphia will sail for San José de Guatemala, probably on March 2, to participate at the opening of the Central American Exposition.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

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H. C. Bush, general freight agent of the Atlantic and Pacific; F. S. Burbury, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miller, Red Hook, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. King, Montclair, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Scofield, Wallace, Idaho, are at the

Florence.

The bodies of Munn Davis and J. L. Stearns, prospectors recently murdered by a crazy Indian near Rioville, on the Colorado River, will arrive tonight for interment at National City.

The fair of the Roman Catholic Church was opened successfully at Hawkins Hall last night. Maj. Sweeney is president of the fair.

A resoltion has been passed by the Aldermen ordering the payment of the taxes due the Linda Vista irrigation district.

Blacksmith Herbert Gray narrowly escaped death yesterday by a kick on the side of the head from a fractious horse.

The Aldermen have adopted a resolution for the procuring of a \$3000 chemical fire engine for Florence Heights.

The wedding of Miss Betty Moser and Frank Like will occur at the home of the bride's parents tonight.

The appropriation of \$50,000 by the Assembly for a Normal School here causes general satisfaction.

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The annual masquerade ball of the
Sons of Hermann occurred at Navai
Reserve Hall last night.

Gus Anderson, aged 35, a Hotel
Brewster waiter, died at St. Joseph's
Hospital on Tuesday. Mexican swindlers are selling worth-less cigars at \$6 for 250.

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PASADENA BREVITIES.

Dr. Richard Edwards of Throop, will address the regular monthly meeting of the teachers of the Institute next Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock. An invitation has been extended to the friends of Dr. Edwards and of Throop to be present.

The Misses Maggie and Hannah Williams, sisters of Prof. T. J. Williams, who have been visiting in Pasadena for the past four weeks, returned to their home in Dodgeville, Wis., today.

Dr. G. S. Hull will lecture on hysi-

have passed resolutions in honor of the memory of the late George Foster. The work of Mr. Foster in the public affairs of this city is, according to these resolutions, highly appreciated.

The case of E. E. White, assignee of the Coronado Foundry, against the San Diego Gas Company will be tried on March I.

Recent arrivals at the hotel include D. Blair, Toronto; Miss Hotl, Holt, Ky; J. E. Gorman, Chicago; Mrs. F. L. Curtis, Waterbury, Ct.; Mrs. S. E. Locke, Pasadena; Mrs. M. E. Swift, Battle Creek, Mich.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

ONFERENCE COMMITTEES ON THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

City Treasurer and the Busted Bank - Production of "Emman-uel"-Legal Points of Interest. Baseball Challenges Coming In.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 17.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Republican City Central Committee met last evening to hear the report of legal committee as to the number of members of the Board of Education to be elected this spring, and adopted the advice that there must be five—three for four years and two for two years, as the present board is an illegal one, owing to informality in ordering the election two years ago by the City Trustees. Then came the discussion as to the feasibility of holding a conference with the fusion party and meet their comfeasibility of holding a conference with the fusion party and meet their committee of seven with as many more and put up a strictly non-partisan ticket for the Board of Education. This met with great opposition, and the main idea seemed to be to have no coalition with fusion, but it was finally voted to appoint the committee of conference and request that committee to report to the Central Committee Thursday. The committee consists of John E. Light, Legare Allen, C. N. Damron, A. Horowitz, Dr. Hurley, J. N. Victor and James Fleming. The ward caucuses were appointed for Friday night and the primaries, Saturday, the convention to be held the following Saturday. LOOKING AFTER CITY MONEY.

When the First National Bank closed its doors two years ago, last November, it contained several thousand dollars of the money belonging to the city, placed there for safe-keeping by the treasurer, and of this amount half is still tied up. Last night the Board of Trustees passed a resolution that the money in the treasury be counted, it is supposed with the intention of demanding that the bondsmen put up the necessary amount to cover the deficit. The present treasurer was not elected, but appointed, as the person elected was disqualified, and as the deficit was on a former term, although of the same person now holding the office, there is a doubt whether he is now liable for the deficit, as when he took the office after his appointment the deficit was there. It amounts to about \$3200 at present, with doubtful prospects as to final payment from the bank.

COMING MUSICAL EVENT. When the First National Bank closed

COMING MUSICAL EVENT. The Haydn Choral Society, which has the oratorio of "Emmanuel" in re-hearsal, proposes to give it Monday, March 1, when they will have the assistance of eight soloists and a chorus of forty voices from Los Angeles in the work. This will be given under the direction of Prof. Cornell of Los Angeles. LEGAL MATTERS.

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The case of Prof. T. H. Kirk to secure the salary due for seven months, caused by the refusal of the president of the board to sign the warrants ordered drawn, is progressing. Yesterday Judge Campbell ruled that the law giving State Superintendent Black power to order the County Superintentend to pay the bill was unconstitutional, and then he overruled the demurrer and today the case is going on on its merits.

F. P. Morrison of Redlands filed complaint againt George H. Crafts, his wife, C. J. Crafts, and the Savings Bank of Southern California, for the collection of \$1866.40 on a note for \$6500 given April 15, 1893, to Mrs. R. B. Smith, and indorsed by Mr. Morrison he being secured by mortgage on property in Crafton, Redlands and other places.

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The starting of the Athletic Park in this city has given an impetus to baseball that is fast becoming a fad. Plans for inclosing the grounds will be carried out at once, and plenty of seating capacity added for the fast-increasing crowds. Next Sunday there will bte a game between the Wielands and the North Ontario club; the next day—legal holiday—the game will be between the Wielands and the Banning Indians, the latter being dressed in full indian costume of red, and with full war-paint effect. The following Sunday it is thought the Indian club of Banning will meet the Indian club of Banning will meet the Indian club of Perris on these grounds, when the fur will fiv. The Riverside High School team wish to play a return game here, but the High School boys say the others did not "tote fair" in the last game, but run in professional outsiders.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.
The baseball fever has struck the Santa Fé shops, and a club has been formed of employés, of which T. A. MoNeal was chosen president and W. M. Merry captain. There are eighteen membres of the club at present, many of whom are fine players on the diananch of the supervisor George M. Cooley, the groom being a son of exsupervisor George M. Cooley, the groom being a son of exsupervisor George M. Cooley, the groom being a son of exsupervisor George M. Cooley, the groom being a son of exsupervisor George M. Cooley, the groom being a son of exsupervisor George M. Cooley, the groom being a son of exsupervisor George M. Cooley. The Midwinter Times; 48 pages and colored cover; 185 illustrations; full of interesting matter. For sale by local agents; price, 10 cents.

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Residents of Montecito are circulating a petition to the Southern Pacific for the appointment of an agent and the construction of siding at that point.

The Southern Pacific Company is improving its crossing in Summerland.

Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Grant are in Los Angeles.

José Mascarel of Los Angeles has sold to Max Goldschmidt of that city the Hotel Mascarel property of this city. The deed was filed today.

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ORANGE COUNTY.

CAUSE HIM TROUBLE.

Death of Tom Raymond the Owner of Klamath-Five Lusty Vaga-bonds Dine on Chicken and Go to Jail-Brief Notes of News.

SANTA ANA, Feb.17.—[Regular Correspondence.] If the report made in Los Angeles in reference to the age of Stephen D. Mott, the young man who figured in an eloquent and subsequent marriage a few days ago, prove true, it is likely that the love-lorn youth's trouble has only just begun. Mr. Mott took oath before the County Clerk that he was 21 years of Mr. Mott took oath before the County Clerk that he was 21 years of age, and as his appearance did not belie this statement, the clerk did not hesitate in giving him the document he so much coveted. It transpires now that the father of the young man says he is only 19 years old. County Clerk Brock was out of the city today and consequently could not be seen in reference to the matter, but it was the opinion of the chief deputy that the matter will not rest where it is now if it be ascertained that the young man is really under age.

TOM RAYMOND DEAD.

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The news of Tom Raymond's death was received in Santa Ana at an early hour Wednesday morning from Los Angeles, and in a few moments it spread to his many friends all over the city. Mr. Raymond had gone to Los Angeles about a week ago for treatment. For the past several months, in fact, ever since the death of his wife, in the East, he has been gradually growing weaker. His remains will be laid to rest in the cemetery in this city, Messrs. C. C. Parker and "Gibb" Judd having gone to Los Angeles on the first train this morning to arrange for the funeral services, which will be held on Friday at 2 p.m. Mrs. Raymond was burled in the Santa Ana Cemetry about six months ago, Mr. Raymond was the owner of Klamath, the wonderful little trotting demon known all over the country to horsemen as "Eat 'Em Up Cookle."

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There seems to be just cause for complaint for the manner in which tramps are treated by some of the outlying justices of the peace in different portions of the country. The tramps are arrested and taken before the local justices on the charge of vagrancy, and too often are given five days in the County Jail. In most instances this is just what the hobo wants, and as soon as his short term expires, he goes on to the next town where the same dose is repeated. These short sentences are no punishment for the tramps, and they each cost the county from \$6\$ to \$8\$ every time they are sent up. Not infrequently, they are sent up. Not infrequently, they are sent up. Not infrequently, they are sent up. Not infrequently. The present system that seems to have been adopted by some of the justices simply furnishes comfortable lodging for the Weary Waggles while they are tramping around over the county, and the county pays the expense.

THIRTY DAYS AT HARD LABOR. CAUSE FOR COMPLAINT.

THIRTY DAYS AT HARD LABOR. Thirty days at hard labor was the verdict of Justice of the Peace Hunt-Trirty days at hard labor was the verdict of Justice of the Peace Huntington this afternoon in the examination of five large, lusty vagrants who were arrested by Marshal Curtice and brought down from the creek bed, near the Santa Fé Railroad, where they had been eating neighbors' chickens and drinking wine, until the residents of the community came to town to have them arested. The whole gang had only been released from the County Jail yesterday, after having served out five days on a commitment from Anaheim, and they immediately proceeded to gorge themesives with chickens and wine. When sentence was pronounced upon them they objected strenuously, but the Marshal hustled them off to the fall without giving them much time to talk back to the Judge. All five of the fellows are over six feet in height, and their weight will range from 15 to 225 pounds. They gave the names of William Higgans, James Marsh, John Martin, Tom McPherson and John Mitchell.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.

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be held at the German church in Orange Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Jesus Aguilar has petitioned the Superior Court for letters of administration in the estate of Antone G. Aguilar,
deceased. The property consists of two
lots in Capistrano valued at \$1400.

It is rumored that the Puente Oi.
Company will put in a pipe line from
its wells back of Fullerton to the site
of the new sugar factory at Alamitos.

The Midwinter Times; is pages and
colored cover; 189 illustrations; full of
interesting matter. For sale by local
agents; price, 10 cents.

Emma Huntington vs. I. R. Brunn,
an action to quilet title on six lots in the
Spoerl tract, Anaheim, has been filed
with the County Clerk.

Capt. S. W. Smith has returned to
Santa Ana from a prospecting trip to
Randsburg.

RIALTO. Feb. 17.—[Regular Correspondence.] After talking for two or three years of turning the great Riafto tract into a canigre bed, work was begun this (Wednesday) morning, plowing 2000 acres for planting canigre. This is the direct outcome of the recent sale of the land to a British syndicate.

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Table Forks.
Water Goble

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3 Dinner Plates.
1 Majolica Cuspidor.
2 Napkin Rings.
1 Rose Bowl, Fancy.
4 Table Goblets.
1 Cake Stand, on Foot.
1 Rutter Dish, Large. I Cake Stand, on Foot.

Butter Dish, Large.
Fruit Bowl, on Foot.
Candy or Nut Dish.
Table Tumbers.
Celery Stand.
Pair Bouquet Holders, Fancy.
Bohemian Fern Vase.
Fruit Plates, Fancy.
Egg Cups, Fancy.
Cake Plate, Fancy.
Sugar and Cream Set, Fancy.
Fancy Shaving Mug.
Milk Pitcher, Decorated.

Milk Pitcher, Decorated. Cups and Saucers, Decorated. Child's Cake Set. Platter, Decorated. Salad Bowl, Footed.

Water Pitcher.
Fancy Cup, Saucer and Plate.
Rebecca Tea Pot.
Oat Meal Set, Fancy.
Breakfast Plates.
Vegetable Dish, Decorated. Tankard Pitcher. Salad Dish, Decorated, Sugar Bowl. Dessert Dishes, Berry Set.

Sugar Sifter.

Pudding Set, 2 Pieces.
Fancy Cup and Saucer.
Salad Bowl, Square.
Table Knives.
Table Forks.
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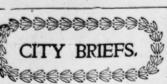
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Ladies' Underwear.



A convention to organize an Anti-sa A convention to organize an Anti-sa-loon League for Southern California, auxiliary to the American Anti-saloon League, will meet in Temperance Tem-ple, Monday, February 22, at 1:30 p.m. Addresses by Rev. Clark Crawford of Pasadesia, and Warran F. Day, D.D. Short speeches by prominent business men. All interested in temperance re-form are invited.

orm are invited.

Attend auction sale today; 423 South pring; Fine millinery goods; 10 and 2 m. Mrs. F. W. Thurston; stock finmoved to Wilcox Block

X rays at Y.M.C.A., tonight; 25 cents. Van Storage Co. Tel. Main 1140.

the preliminary examination of Fook for assault to kill was set yester-by Justice Morrison for Febru-24. ng Gong was fined \$10 yesterday ice Morrison for selling Chinese tickets. He paid the fine

re are undelivered telegrams at Western Union Telegraph Office for Stanchfield, L. G. Grooss, W. C. ttock, W. A. Washer, Samuel Beach

at 1 p.m., today.

Gus Johnson, a hack employé, applied
at the Receiving Hospital for treatment last night. He had been kicked
on the shin by a horse, but no bones
were breken, though the flesh was
much discolored and slightly lacerated.
He was later removed to his home.

PERSONALS.

F. L. Goodwin of Kansas City is staying at the Nadeau. J. J. Pfister of San Francisco is reg-istered at the Hollenbeck.

H. O. Wilbur and family of Phila-delphia are at the Lillie. J. W. Abbott and wife of Westford, Mass., are at the Abbotsford Inn.

Hale, a real estate dealer ogo, is staying at the Hollenbeck L. H. Tolfree, a well-known hotel man of Colorado, is staying at the Na-

er.

J. Eppinger, a wheat broker of Sar

George A. Lawrence, a leading law-yer of Galesburg, Ill., is staying at the Westminster. A. T. Lipman, a wealthy busin

man of San Francisco, is registered at the Hollenbeck. Alex Sharp, U.S.A., and wife, and liss Sharp of Duluth are among the rivals at the Lillie.

rrivals at the Line.

Mrs. C. A. Kebler and daughter and
frs. Julian A. Kebler of Denver are
uests at the Abbotsford Inn. John Denair, superintendent at the leedles of the Atlantic and Pacific ailroad, has arrived in this city.

gent of the Atlantic and Fachic roles i Albuquerque, is now in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harrison, W. T. Iarrison, Jr., with nurse and infant,

the Van Nuys.

W. M. Houser of St. Louis, the president of the Globe-Democrat Publishing Company, with his wife and child, are staying at the Van Nuys.

Stephen C. Millard, one of the leading lawyers of Binghampton N. Y., with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Norman B. Millard are registered at the Westminster.

guiding spirits of the Union Pacific, with Mrs. Munroe, Miss Munroe and Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Schumacher of San Francisco, are at the Nadeau.

A DEAD HORSE.

Ornaments a Spring-street Sidewalk for Six Hours. Many and wrathful were the inquiries many and wrathful were the induces yesterday for the Health Officer, the garbage contractor, or any other official whose business it is to remove ofcial whose business it is to remove orfal from the city streets, for the busy
corner of Fourth and Spring streets was
blockaded with the carcass of a dead
horse for fully six hours of the day.

About 10 a.m. a team of horses at-About 10 a.m. a team of horses at-ached to a farm wagon broke loose rom a hitching post at the corner of from a hitching post at the corner of Fourth and Main streets and dashed wildly up Fourth towards Spring, scattering pedestrians and narrowly missing other vehicles. At the corner of Fourth and Spring the maddened horses crashed into a telephone pole. One of the poor beasts escaped with comparatively slight injury, but the other was so fearfully mangled that the nearest policeman was asked to end its sufferings. He put a couple of shots into its head and that ended the matter so far as he was concerned. The crowd was dispersed and the dead horse remained on the sidewalk in a pool of blood.

Passers-by averted their faces in horror and disgust when the sickening specatcle was forced upon them, and indignant citizens protested hotly against the outrageous neglect which allowed the great mass of bloody flesh to lie there, directly in the bath of travel, until after 4 p.m., when it was finally removed. ing other vehicles. At the corner of

Death of Mrs. A. M. Seitz.

The death of Mrs. Annie M. Seitz oc curred at her residence on South Hil street Tuesday morning. Mrs. Seitz was apparently perfectly well until early on Tuesday morning, when she was seized with a severe attack of in-digestion. Her niece, Mrs. L. C. Black. left the room for a moment, and upon her return found her aunt had breathed

The Fiesta Races.

Preparations are going briskly for-ward for the races among leading Los Angeles business men that are to serv Angeles business men that are to serve as an introduction to the gaveties of La Flesta. T. T. Williams, president of the Pacific Jockey Club, has donated the use of the Agricultural Park race track and stables for the benefit of the carnival. The list of sports will include every variety from foot races to four-in-hand tally-hos.

IDEAL CHAMPAGNE.

With due deference to the well-known fas-tidious proclivities of California champagne consumers, Messra. Moet & Chandon, who, as is well known, are the largest vineyard own-ers in the Champagne, have concluded to ship henceforth their renowned White Seal Grande Cuvee" to this Coast. This brand is celebrated as a great favorite among the se-lect circles in Lendon and other large-titlecelebrated as a great favorite among the se-lect circles in London and other large cities in Europe, it being a clean and deliciously dry wine, and the "White Scal Grande Cu-vee" is also bound to become popular here with people of a discriminating palate.

DELIGHTFUL TRIP FOR TOURISTS

\$:27 p.m., returning at 6:05 p.m. Stops are made at Rediands and Riverside for sight-seeling. Round trip, \$4:10. Descriptive pamph-lets at Santa Fé ticket offices.

TO REACH RANDSBURG GOLD FIELDS

HOME FOR BOYS. iew Charlty Started by the Good Samaritan Mission.

A notable and most praiseworthy harity has just been organized in conection with the Good Samaritan Mission by Dr. Yocum, Mrs. H. A. Ledlie, Rev. William C. Stevens and the members of the Christian Alliance congregation. It is a faith home for worthy homeess boys who have been making their

lt is a faith home for worthy nomeless boys who have been making their
headquarters at the Good Samaritan
Mission. Many of them have employment at small wages, but have no home
save that at the mission. Dr. Yokum
and the Christian Alliance people now
propose to establish a separate home
for the boys, send all those to school
who are not employed, see to their
spiritual and temporal welfare generally, and establish a permanent abiding place where good influence will be
thrown around them.

Quite a collection was taken up at
the meeting of the Christian Alliance
yesterday for the purpose, and twentytwo worthy boys are already enrolled
upon the list. It is to be a faith home
in every sense of the word, and should
be gladly sustained by the charitable
citizens of Los Angeles regardless of
denomination. Capt. Frazier of the
mission and all connected with it are
heart and soul in the work, and great
results for good can be looked for in
rescuing and encouraging boys from
discouragement and downward influences and in starting them out eventually in life to rescue others. For the discouragement and downward influences and in starting them out eventually in life to rescue others. For the present the boys will remain at the mission until a suitable building can be found and other arrangements made. In the mean time the boys not employed will attend the day schools, while those employed will go to night school.

TWO THIEVES CAPTURED. Boyle Heights Furnishes Two In-

mates for the City Jail. Officers Arguello and Woodworth had been warned by Chief Glass to look out for thieves in the direction of their eats, and vesterday morning, on Boyle venue, about six o'clock Arguello cap-ared two, and booked them for petty

rceny. Arguello was on his last round when saw these two men in a wagon. Arguello was on his last round when he saw these two men in a wagon. They stopped and got out, and the officer saw one of them lean a shotgun against the side of a house, and then go back to the rear part of the yard. The other man was in front, and as Arguello approached, he drew a gun. The officer promptly covered him, and the man dropped the gun. Arguello handcuffed him. As the second man emerged, he also was secured, and both were taken to the Police Station and charged with the theft of some farming implements. At the station they gave the names of Ed Martin and Robert Diamond, and were booked on a charge of petty larceny.

A RECKLESS YOUTH.

A Small Boy Who Had His Own

Willie Melville, who lives on Birch Willie Melville, who lives on Birch street, is a small boy who enjoys life and likes to make it pleasant for everybody. Last evening Willie became possessed of some 38-caliber cartridges, and a wild desire to arouse the neighborhood. Not having a gun Willie decided to put the cartridges on the Meple-avenue street-car track and have the cars explode them, careless as to the direction the bullets might take Willie immediately carried out his idea and from his place of concealment chuckled in innocent glee as the first cartridge went off with a report like a young cannon.

cartridge went off with a report like a young cannon.
When all grew quiet again, little Willie crept forth to repeat the experiment when Detective Goodman placed a fatherly hand upon him and haled him up to the station, where Willie found himself charged with malicious mischief. After spending an hour in the jail Willie was allowed to go.

Declined to Move Out.

J. T. Sipes, the Merchant-street hotel-keeper, who forcibly ejected an old man named Fuller from his premises was arrested yesterday at 1 o'clock by Officer Richardson on a warrant sworn to by Fuller.

Sipes runs a lodging-house on Merchant street, and says Fuller moved a lot of goods in during the absence of the proprietor, and later refused to move the goods, Sipes thought at least that he would remove the owner; hence the ejectment.

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Indiana and residents of Pomona. a native of Illinois, aged 21, both residents of Downey.

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John Calvin Bentz, a native of New York, aged 29, and Louise B. Harris, a native of Alabama, aged 21, both res-

a native of Alabama, aged 21, idents of Pasadena.
Willard C. Lusk, a native of Illinois and a resident of Missouri, Iowa, aged 27, and Alma V. Davies, a native of New York, and a resident of Claremont, aged 27. Charles M. Canby, a native of Georgia

aged 25, and Frances del Valle, a native of California, aged 23, both residents

of Indiana, aged 21, both residents of Los Angeles.
William Wilson Sands, a native of California, aged 29, and Bessie Kelly, a natie of Nevada, aged 23, both residents of Los Angeles.
Louis N. Myer, a native of Ohio and a resident of Los Angeles, aged 23, and Rena Bamberger, a native of California and a resident of Riverside, aged 18.

DEATH RECORD.

LLOYD—In this city, February 16, John H.
Lloyd, aged 24 years.
Funeral Thursday, February 18, 2 o'clock,
from his brother's residence, No. 648 West
Sixteenth street. Interment at Rosedale
Cemetery. Friends invited.
SEITZ—At her late home, No. 1011 South Hill
street, Mrs. Annie M. Seitz, aged 73 years,
beloved aunt of Mrs. Lizzle C. Black.
Funeral from residence, No. 1011 South Hill
street. Thursday, February 18, 1897, at 2
o'clock pm. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.
WALLACE—At his home, No. 1224 West
Eighth street, February 17, 1897, Thomas
Wallace, aged 61 years, a native of Scotland, and late member of the Caledonian
Society of this city.
Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICE. Members of Court Los Angeles, No. 422, I.O.F., are hereby ordered to report at I.O.F. Temple, No. 1294 West First street. Thursday, February 18, 1897, I p.m., to attend the funeral of our late brother, John H. Lloyd. By order of R. E. WIRSCHING, C. R. O. H. NUNALEY, R. Sec.

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of 81: for this sale, pair,

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wide, 3 yards long, scroll
pattern and worth 81, 25
pair; this sale, pair LACE CURTAINS - 40 inches by 3 yards long, wide border, set nattern, extra quality, well bound and excellent value at 8.85, this sale, pair

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Crystal Ware Sale. 10 Bbls. Good Fine Polished Water Tumblers, bought way below market price onty I doz. to a customer, doz..... Crystal Table Sets, 4 pieces, pretty pressed designs. worth at least 40c; only 1 set to a customer, set. X Ray Crystal Water Pitcher, reasonable at 35c; During the Sale. Watch for our new department. Men's and Boys' Rain Goods.

Boys' dull finish Rubber Coats, \$1.23 Boys' blue or black Serge Mackintosh Cape \$1.63

Watch for our new department. Sale of Veilings.

Watch for our new department.

Ladies' Furnishings. Just received a spring shipment of Ladies' and Children's All-silk Windsor All the prettiest and daintiest shadings in 2 and 2½ inch all-slik Dresden Ribbons; today, yard All the nobblest shadings in all-silk Tarfeta Dresden Ribbons, 4 inches wide; today, yard...

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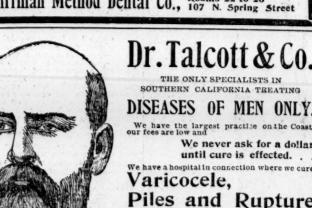
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